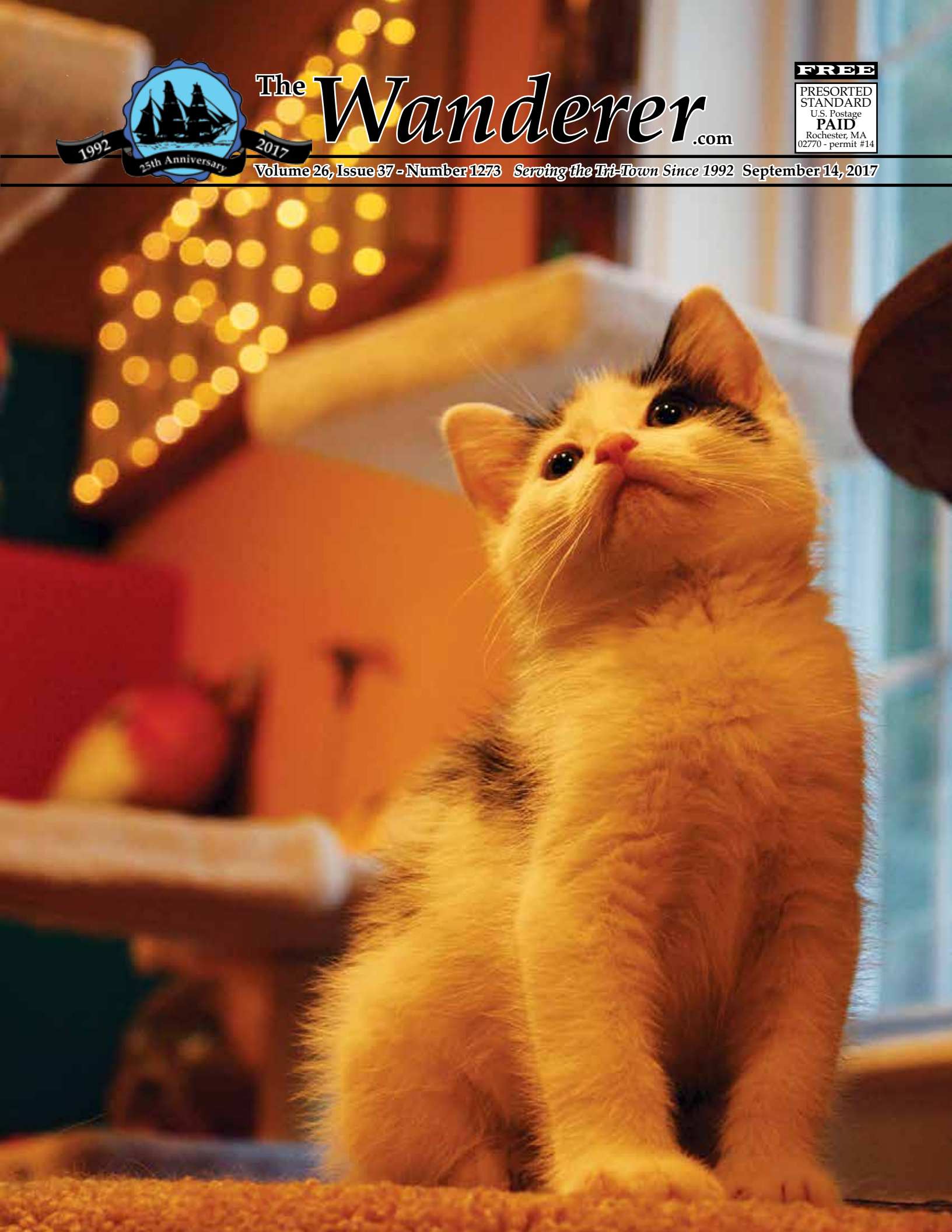
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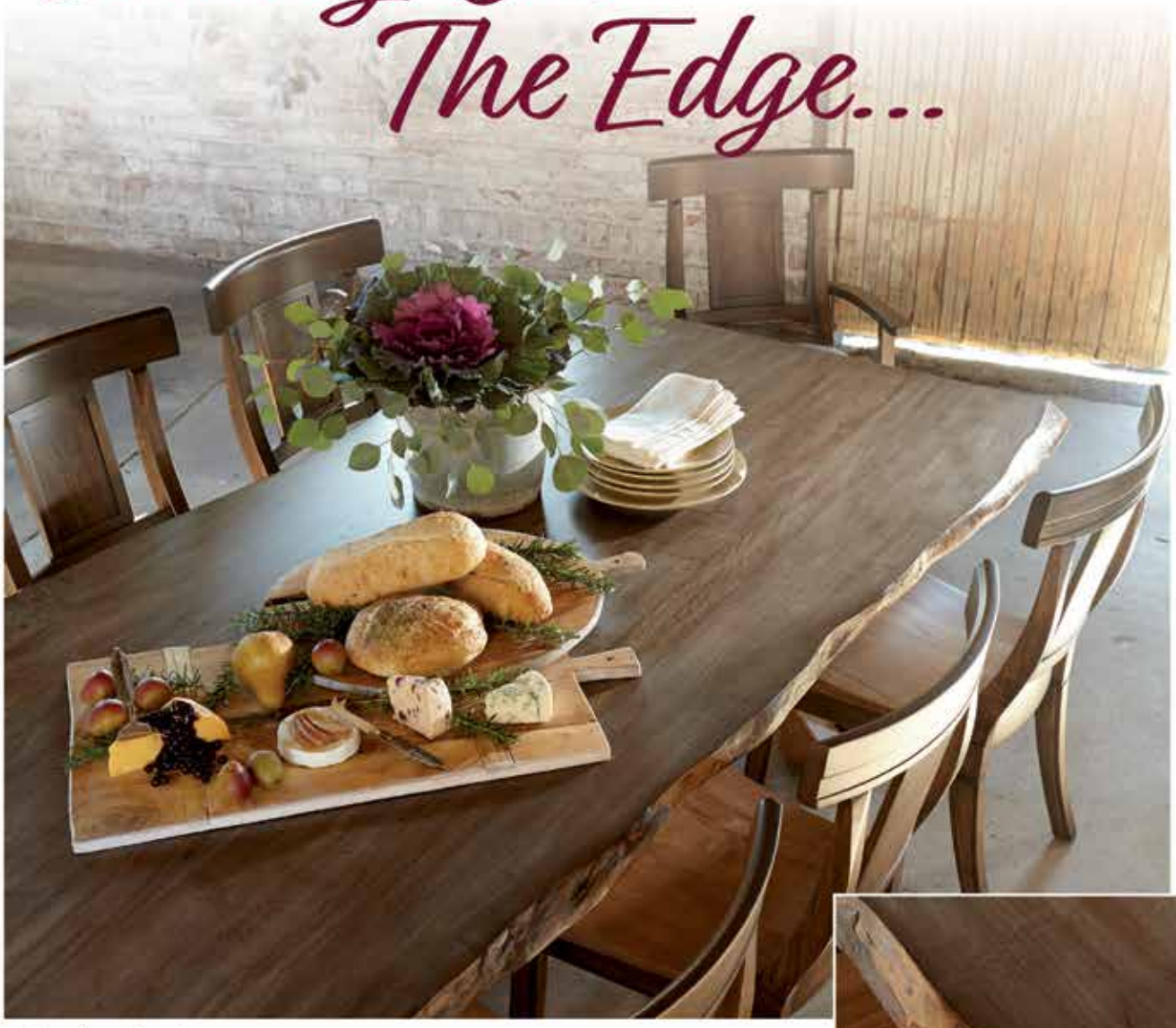
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Shelter Dedicates Addition to Late Contractor

By Jean Perry

Matthew Sherman never got to see the finished product of his labor of love. The contractor who 'rescued the rescuers' from a shoddy construction job passed away on July 24 of this year, but not before leaving behind a legacy that dozens gathered to honor on Thursday night, September 7.



***Dueling Dippers** – Rochester Firefighter Albert Weigel (left) and Rochester Facilities Director Andrew Daniel (right) pose with their first and second place awards, respectively, for best chowder at the Mattapoisett Firefighters Association's 3rd Annual Chowder Cook-Off. The two Rochester teams have started a friendly rivalry as each team takes turns every year as first place and second. Photo by Jean Perry*

***On the Cover: Pretty Kitty** – At It's All About the Animals in Rochester, there are a bunch of kittens just looking for someone to spend all their nine lives with – and many more adults who still have a few lives left to share. Last Thursday, IAATA celebrated the completion and opening of its new addition and "catio" at the Marion Road cat shelter, and they invite the public to visit during business hours Saturdays and Sundays. We dare you not to fall smitten with a kitten and leave without an application! Photo by Jean Perry*

The owners of the Rochester-based cat shelter It's All About the Animals hosted a cocktail party to celebrate the grand unveiling of the new addition and "catio" (a screened-in patio for cats) at the Marion Road rescue cat shelter. Pam and Oren Robinson held the invitation-only event as a way to thank those benefactors and volunteers who made it possible, and to honor a special man, Sherman, of Sherman Construction, who loved cats and eventually took over the management and construction of the new addition after the prior contractor allegedly ran off with the Robinsons' money and left behind an unfinished and unsafe work site.

On the wall of the new wing at the shelter is a plaque dedicating in Sherman's name the new addition space now used for housing and caring for rescue cats and kittens. Sherman, age 39, died unexpectedly before finishing the construction.

"He was such a wonderful man," Pam said. "None of this would have happened without him.

Invited guests joined the Robinsons in raising their glasses and toasting the memory of Sherman, whose parents, Craig and Christina, were present to uncover Sherman's plaque and celebrate his life, along with the shelter's fortunate conclusion to a cat-astrophic construction calamity – for which Pam Robinson says was all due to Sherman's generosity and kindness.

The catio features another plaque dedicating it to the memory of Georgia D. Chamberlain, donated by her daughter Ester-Ann Chamberlain.

In addition to the space – which includes a coffee

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station for volunteers, a kitchen area, and a laundry room, the cats and kittens enjoy a series of brand new cat trees, kitty condos, and cubbyholes to hide in (although several enjoy the simple surroundings of the small eaves in the catio ceiling).

Pam says she has a number of kittens available for adoption, as well as a number of adult cats in need of good homes. And if you do visit the shelter on Saturday or Sunday during business hours, we dare you to leave without an application.

(And IAATA, we think you may have a great new fundraising concept to exploit – sipping wine while petting a kitten in a roomful of wandering cats? Please take our money…)

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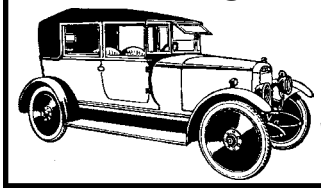


Name: Aaron Polansky
Role: Superintendent, Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School
Age: 41
How he came to Tri-Town: He lives in Raynham and grew up in Natick, but he spends his days (and many nights) in Rochester.
Favorite Tri-Town spot: "It's in the neighborhood next door (to Old Colony), the lake. In the summer, because I don't have to wear a suit to work, I bring a kayak and a book. I'll row out, drop my oars and read in the middle of Snipatuit. It's beautiful."
Ever seen a celebrity locally? "We had (author) Temple Grandin here to speak last year. I went and drove to Burlington where she was speaking to pick her up and talk to us. She was very down to earth and good with the kids. I'd love to get James Spader to come here and talk with the kids."

Aaron Polansky: A Passionate Voice for Old Colony

By Jonathan Comey

After the 13th straight loss to begin his high

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school wrestling career as a Natick High freshman, Aaron Polansky was ready to give it up.

"They needed a varsity wrestler, one hundred and three pounds, and I heard the word 'varsity,' not necessarily 'wrestling,' and said, 'I'll give it a shot,'" Polansky recalled, sitting in his office as Superintendent of Old Colony Regional Voc-Tech in Rochester.

He didn't know it at the time, but 30 years later he would see it as a turning point in his life. "I told my mother, 'I don't know if this is for me,' and she told me no, I had to finish what I started."

So he worked at it, and by the end of his sophomore season, he qualified for the state tournament. He's been striving ever since, and followed an educator's questioning path through life to a speedy rise to his role as the head of Old Colony.

He says he found an identity in wrestling that he was searching for, and he feels that his job (among others) is for his students to find their own special thing.

"I think there's a lot that can be taught with any interaction," he said. "Any extracurricular, someone



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who's involved with wrestling or music or anything, it's all about discipline and motivation and collaboration. Or through foreign language, or whatever their passion may be. That's the beauty of education – finding someone's passion and using it as a mechanism to better their life."

Polansky's tenacity and likeability have served him well – first as a teacher, then out of daily education working for a landscape design company while coaching wrestling at Hudson High and acting as the state head of USA wrestling.

After five years out, he came back to education full time in 2008 as assistant principal and then principal at Bristol Aggie. The father of six had been mulling over a move to superintendent jobs, and decided to apply and interview at Old Colony without thinking he'd be a leading candidate, but wanting to see how the process went.

"And here we are," he says with a smile, gesturing to his office as he finished a tastefully prepared school lunch of chili with a grilled cheese sandwich.

He feels like he's a good combination for the small school with a hard-working base.

"I think it was a really good fit," he says. "This is a really warm community, and my philosophy is people first. I really think the school committee and the people involved came off as warm. Felt like a really great opportunity."

As he nears his first anniversary at Old Colony, he says he's learning how to adjust to his new role while harnessing his own desire to lead.

During a tour of the school, Polansky makes several stops – a history lesson, a learning group led by a student, welding and woodcutting, cosmetology, and math. He stops to take a picture for social media, poses for a group pic with some kids in the gym, makes



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jokes, and tries not to disrupt. Although Polansky is the boss of all of it, he looks like he'd be happy to rip off his administrator's suit and be coach, teacher, buddy.

Polansky says his goals for Old Colony are modest: more advanced academic classes, an expanded homecoming weekend, new programs, more involvement in the community. Mostly, he wants to be, in his words, a "servant/leader."

"It's hard really, because I have to be respectful of what others want to do. I spent most of my first year getting to know people, and I wanted to be careful of not taking on too much. I want it to be a collaborative team where everyone complements each other well. I think we're very high functioning as a team. The teachers we

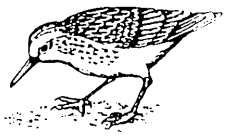


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have, the student body we have – it's a team effort, it's gone incredibly well. Being in this setting makes me feel connected to the kids, and that I can build a community around what we are."

Polansky continued, "I'm being very authentic when I say it's a great place to be. We can really make a difference in the lives of kids. They're not a number in our hallway, they're a name. I feel lucky to wake up every day and impact the lives of students."

Author Shares Mystery of Local Boat's History

By Marilou Newell

Rachel Rowley Spaulding has written one book, but that slim volume has earned her accolades from readers and critics alike. Kirkus Reviews praised Spaulding's *In Search of the Ellen Marie* in November 2014, which she self-published in August of that year. Of the book, Kirkus wrote: "…a page-turner may be a cliché but this memoir-cum-mystery with a clever premise is a strong contender for the honor."

Speaking to the Sippican Woman's Club members on September 8, some eight years from when she first began researching the fate of the fishing boat *Ellen Marie*, Spaulding shared how the quest had unfolded.

During an impromptu walk-about in the seaport district of New Bedford, Spaulding was drawn into the Moniz Art Gallery on Water Street. There she found a print the artist had done of one of his iconic images – the

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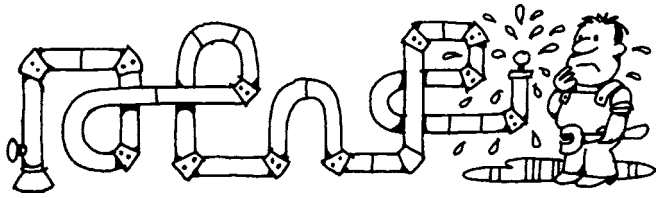
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wheelhouse of a fishing boat, the *Ellen Marie*.

Spaulding, although enraptured by the colors and the subject matter of the print, returned home that day empty-handed. Haunted by the artwork, she returned to the gallery only to find it had been sold. However, the gallery manager advised her that the original painting was still available. In spite of the dear sum she paid, Spaulding was delighted to have the original painting in her possession. She was yet to learn how its charm would inspire and forever change her life.

It is known that fishermen can be very superstitious, and if ghosts and spells can be cast over living breathing humans, then Spaulding was caught in the net cast by that fishing boat. She simply had to find out what had become of the *Ellen Marie*.

Spaulding told the club members of her many conversations with boat captains, family members of fishermen, boat builders, and everyday people whose lives are entwined in the fishing industry. She learned it wasn't very easy to track down the whereabouts of a single boat that no one had seen in years, yet she was undaunted and continued to seek out information.

Peeling back the years through research, she did eventually discover what she had been looking for: the fate of the *Ellen Marie*. But after speaking for an hour, sharing the twists and turns, the heartfelt conversations she had had with families who lost loved ones to the unforgiving sea, and the realities and salted joy of bringing home a good haul, she said, "I'll take questions now, except I will not answer what became of the *Ellen Marie*."

And why should she? Spaulding explained that she didn't want to spoil the ending for those who wished to read the book. It is, after all, a mystery story that pulls the reader along, building towards the climax, building towards "who done it."

Spaulding's story is one that is more than just the effort of researching her subject matter; it is the relationship between people when one is willing to open up and share emotions. It is the need we all have to tell our stories to someone willing to truly listen. It is the desire of one woman to learn to develop her talent to tell a

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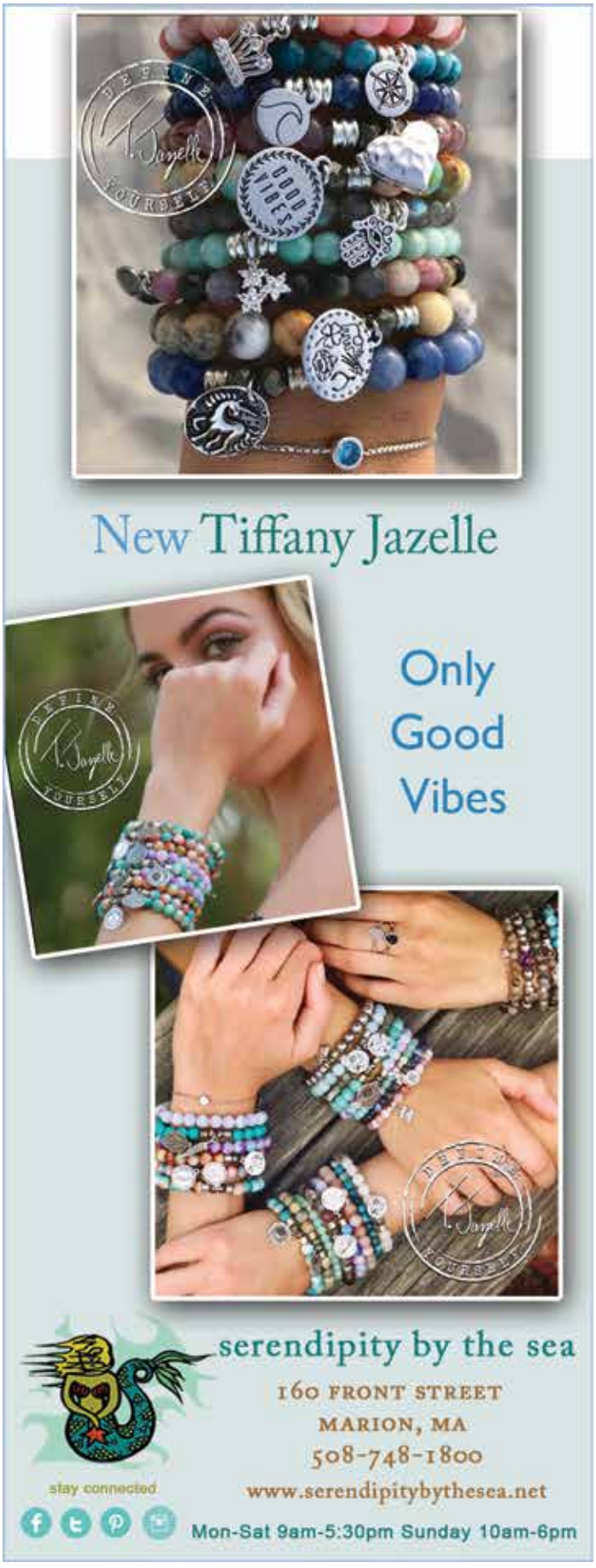


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story others would be interested in reading.

Spaulding, at a time in her life when she could explore subjects that truly interested her, the fishing industry of New Bedford, the *Ellen Marie*, becoming a student of writing, even learning to love again, was able to bring it all together and produce her own work of art. She inspires others by asking us to find out what our passions are and then to pursue them to completion. Spaulding makes us wonder what mysteries lay ahead for us all, and will we with open hearts and minds sail towards them.

To learn more about the Sippican Woman's Club, you may visit www.sippicanwomansclub.org and to learn more about Spaulding and her story, visit www.rachelrowleyspaulding.com.

The Metaphysical Monarch

By George B. Emmons

The monarch butterfly is a world famous member of the Lepidoptera order that is remarkable enough to be described by Aristotle's term 'metaphysical,' his way of understanding the underlying nature of things and creatures of the world.



The monarch is the only one of its kind to annually complete an almost supernatural inter-continental migration of 2,500 miles each way to and from a selective few acres of fir trees on a single Sierra Madre mountainside in Mexico. How on Earth is that possible?

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miles a day along the Atlantic flyway as the only butterfly that can do so like a bird.

Like others of its kind, the monarch can only see to navigate in daylight hours. It uses coastal peninsulas as visual guides for direction with the position of the sun as its reference point, and possibly the gravitational pull of magnetic fields as a cross reference to navigation.

Many of us have been astonished by the seasonal gathering of a myriad of numbers of monarchs on almost every plant to rest and feed on prominent points of coastal land, and stage up for the next leg of their journey.

At dawn with the rising sun, they can rise up on warming thermals high enough where the air is thin, or to catch a free ride with a favorable prevailing wind over a vast expanse of water. The record distance recorded by electronically tagging an individual monarch was an astonishing total of 265 miles in a single day.

All butterflies reproduce with the same metamorphosis re-birth cycle – from egg to larva, to pupa, and then to adult. Eggs are laid singly or in rows, as in my illustration, and the eventual emerging larva becomes a caterpillar then into a butterfly.

All too soon they must migrate for two reasons: they cannot stand freezing weather and larvae food supply does not grow on winter sites.

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here, in addition to two more during the following summer. Amazingly, those that winter in the same trees are the fourth generation from those that originally left.

Today, even modern scientific methods of research cannot completely account for the monarch's remarkable unbroken generational chain of migratory heritage of passing the baton of capability through reproduction and the re-birth of natural instincts.

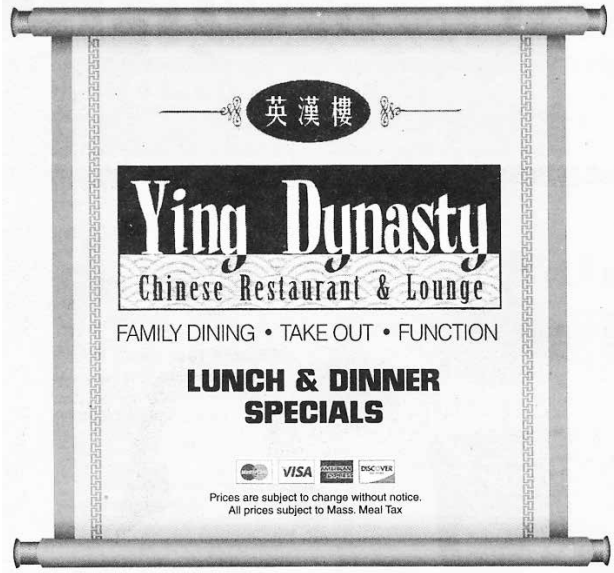
To Native Americans, it was more simple through their keen observation, as well as a living part of the process. They saw it clearly as just one of many unbroken circles of life on Earth orchestrated under planets in the sky where the end of one cycle is but the beginning of another. Call it reincarnation, if you will.

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In summary and in closing, my circle of reasoning of this train of thought goes back with me to the opening title of my article with the premise that the incredible journey of the monarch is undeniably metaphysical.

Reflecting on 'Incredible' Miss America Journey

By Jonathan Comey

After almost two weeks spent under the bright lights of Miss America rehearsals and appearances, Jillian Zucco found herself enjoying two things on Monday: her cellphone and the sun.

Driving back to Mattapoisett from New Jersey, she reflected on life back in the real world after 13 days spent competing for the Miss America crown. Zucco was eliminated as they cut the field from 51 to 15, but her mind wasn't on anything but the positives.

"It was absolutely incredible," she said. "It was so exciting! The energy in the room was just crazy, and to know that millions of people were watching us on national television was so cool.

"I was sort of just happy to be there in the first place and really just to be on the Miss America stage, so I was so happy and joyful to be there in the first place that making the finals would have been icing on the cake," she said. "Without it, I've still got the cake.

"I mean, I think we are all in it to win it, but maybe some are more about the win than the journey. I think the key is to be about the journey; there's only one Miss America and fifteen finalists."

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While Zucco only got a few minutes of screentime on Sunday night – spurring many of her fans across the SouthCoast to take pictures of the TV for social media – the entire 13-day experience was a whirlwind. From 7:30 am (when they started the day and gave up their cellphones) to 11:00 pm (when they got them back), there was usually something going on. Contestants were driven back and forth from their rooms to rehearsals or recordings through underground tunnels.

While Zucco missed the sunlight, the glow of cameras and performance lights more than made up for it.

"It was incredible and non-stop the whole entire two weeks," she said. "The first week we did a lot of rehearsing, a lot of promo, video and photo shoots, then the second week we had three nights of preliminaries and the interviews."

They rehearsed in a ballroom as the Miss America stage was being constructed, and after a week of waiting, they got to perform on it this past Tuesday.

"The first time being on that Miss America stage was really cool. Everybody cried," Zucco says, the emotion coming through in her voice. "Because we worked so long! This was my fifth time competing. Some of the other girls, they had tried five times also. A lot of little girls dream about being on the Miss America stage."

"And the stage is … it is unbelievable," she said with emphasis. "There's this huge crown that holds up all of the lights. It's so amazing, and the whole thing lit up is insane."

She won a $5,000 scholarship for placing third out of the 51 contestants in the STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) branch of the competition, and has earned a total of $40,000 in scholarships during her time competing in pageants.

Zucco now goes back to work and will have a busy year as she balances public appearances – available to be booked through MissMass.org – with her job as a registered nurse. She will be hosting a blood drive at Boston Children's Hospital later in the fall.

She was second in the Miss America competition in the "Miracle Maker" award for Children's Miracle Network fundraising.

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"This whole experience has just really reinforced for me that there's something to be said about perseverance and to never give up," she said. "I've just learned so much and gained so much from competing … the opportunities, the resume material, the people that you meet. I think I'm happy to just go for it, focus on the journey and not the outcome, because it's what you learn along the way that's so much more valuable."

Rochester Reigns (again) at Chowder Cook-Off

By Jean Perry

Some find it ironic that Rochester, the only town in the competition without a coastline, once again took the first and second place awards in the Public Safety category for best chowder during the Mattapoisett Firefighters Association's 3rd Annual Chowder Cook-Off. Although this year the Rochester Fire Department stole first place from last year's winner Andrew Daniel, Rochester's facilities director, the rather playful competition between the two departments remains friendly.

Local chowder lovers swarmed the Mattapoisett Knights of Columbus grounds on Saturday, September 16, to enjoy samples of some of the area's most carefully crafted chowders that are made by eager local public safety employees vying for the coveted judges' first place and "People's Choice" awards, which come with a plaque and, most importantly, the undisputable right to brag.

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Rochester Fire is known for its rich, creamy clam chowder recipe concocted by Albert Weigal and topped with a single fried clam belly. Or was that crowning fried clam actually Andrew Daniel's idea?

Daniel said three years ago when the competition started, he and the Rochester fire crew were thinking about teaming up together and Daniel himself came up with the idea of making the chowder more memorable by topping it off with a freshly fried clam. The idea worked, and as Daniel and Rochester Fire went their own ways with their own chowders, both last year topped off their chowders with fried clams – leading to Daniel taking first and Rochester Fire, second.

This year, though, as he does each year, Daniel changed things up with another recipe – this year offering his newer "Crustacean N' Corn Chowder," with crab, shrimp, and lobster with roasted corn, fire roasted red peppers, "and a sweet cream sherry finish." And this time, instead of topping his chowder with fried clams, he used small fried shrimps.

"I do something different every year," said Daniel who in addition to winning first place last year, won second place the first year.

Daniel had the feeling that Rochester Fire could take back first place this year, which he accurately predicted, saying, "The Fire Department is gonna win. They're more popular. And rightfully so! I'm just the town carpenter and they're gonna be the ones saving you!"

Marion Harbormaster Isaac Perry and his wife Karen were fervently serving up their newer clam chowder recipe they decided to alter after not placing last year.

"The entire year!" answered Karen when asked how long the couple had been working on a new recipe. Although it was all her, she implied, saying as she squinted at her husband, "Food service is not in his blood." The secret to her rich, smooth, savory chowder was the infused Irish butter – which landed them the third place award.

The Wareham Harbormaster decided to join in the fun this year with his first clam chowder entry. And although he didn't place, his creamy clam chowder was

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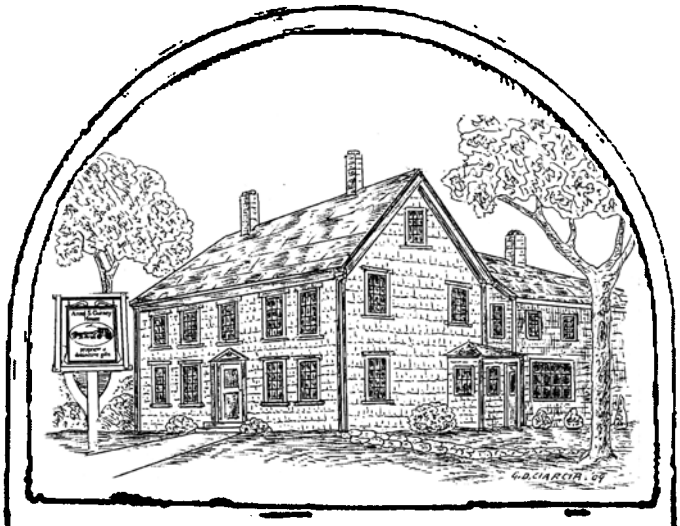
"They don't even have quahogs in Rochester," said Buckminster, eyeballing the competition from across the way. Buckminster described his chowder recipe as basic, simple, and without all the added flavorings. "And we don't have to fluff our stuff up with fried clams on top!" (Oh, snap). "We love Rochester," said Buckminster with redemption.

A couple of booths over, Fairhaven Harbormaster Tim Cox and his friend Sharon DeCosta didn't change a thing about DeCosta's grandmother's chowder recipe that she swears by. Paul Andrews with the Mattapoisett Police stands by his recipe as well, not changing anything from last year, keeping with the "basic" broth that lets the fresh clams speak for themselves.

Marion Fire Assistant Chief Allen Denham served a more thickly-based chowder, saying last year's thinner, more brothy chowder wasn't as popular with the crowd. Next booth over, Brian Daniel with the Fairhaven Fire Department said he also went thicker and creamier this year. "Three years ago I made it like the way I like it at home." But if you want that prize, he conceded, the people want chowder they can chew.

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are "amateurs," we have to hand it to them – many of them were as good, if not better, than the chowders of the professional establishment competition.

Rochester Fire also received the coveted "People's Choice" award.

"Well," said Daniel, "I'm just going to have to up our game for next year."

In the professional establishment category, Lindsey's of Wareham won first place for its seafood bisque, Rasputin's of Fairhaven took second, and The Stowaway in Mattapoisett took third with its "bacon cheeseburger" chowder. The Lebanese Kitchen of Mattapoisett, which took first place in the cook-off last year, won the People's Choice award a second year in a row.

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Three Options for Bike Path Crossing

By Jean Perry

On Thursday, September 7, the Marion Pathways Committee gave the public a chance to view the three engineering concepts for a future bike path crossing to take people from the west side of the planned bike path to the east side, traversing Spring Street and Route 105.

On the wall of the Marion Music Hall hung three very different conceptual renderings, each of them garnering a number of different comments pertaining to each concept's safety for drivers, pedestrians, and how each particular concept would affect traffic flow along Route 105.

Concept 1 is for two crosswalks, beginning with one crosswalk across Spring Street leading to the front of Cilantro where the bike path would turn left and continue north until it reaches the Spring Street/Route 105 intersection where another crosswalk would take bike path users across Route 105 and link it up to the bike path as it continues east. This crosswalk would be positioned south of the Spring Street intersection with Route 105.

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A triangular-like island would be constructed where Spring Street intersects Route 6, keeping the soft right turn onto Spring Street the same while making the left and right turn from Spring Street onto Route 105 more of a conventional, perpendicular intersection.

Concept 2 provides one single crosswalk across Route 105, north of where Spring Street intersects with Route 105. The bike path coming from the west would turn left in front of Brewfish, cross Route 105, and the bike path would continue on.

The two RRFBs would mark each side of the



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crossing like in Concept 1, but only a total of two would be needed.

The intersection of Spring Street and Route 105 would be reconfigured to provide a perfectly perpendicular intersection, thus eliminating that softer right turn onto Spring Street and making it a more conventional right turn, causing drivers to have to slow their vehicles before turning.

Concept 3, with the most significant changes to the Route 105/Spring Street intersection, involves reconfiguring the entire roadway between the two sides of the bike path, creating a small roundabout, or rotary, and three crosswalks would be made: one across Spring Street and then a second straight ahead across Route 105, and a third on Route 105 on the other side of the roundabout. A total of six (two per crossing) RRFBs would be installed, and the bike path would be extended along the front of Brewfish, and then extended from both the north and south Route 105 crossings outside the roundabout. (Lost yet? For a visual understanding of the three concepts, visit www.wanderer.com and click on the link to this article).

Some neighbors expressed concern that Concepts 2 and 3 would significantly reduce traffic flow on Route 105 leading to a backup of vehicles from the Interstate 195 overpass to the Route 105/Route 6 traffic lights. Furthermore, one couple that lives on Front Street (Route 105) said eliminating the soft turn onto Spring Street as Concept 2 does would further slow down traffic and lead to congestion.

Engineers assured residents that traffic studies during peak hours had been undertaken, leading them to conclude that traffic flow would not be significantly affected, except that a roundabout would certainly get traffic down to a slower speed – a safety enhancement for those crossing on the bike path.

Another concern about Concept 3 was that due to the widening of the roadway to make way for a roundabout, some land taking from abutting properties would be required, taking longer due to the legal aspects of the process. It is also the most expensive option.

Marion Pathways Committee Chairman John Rockwell thanked those in attendance for their comments,



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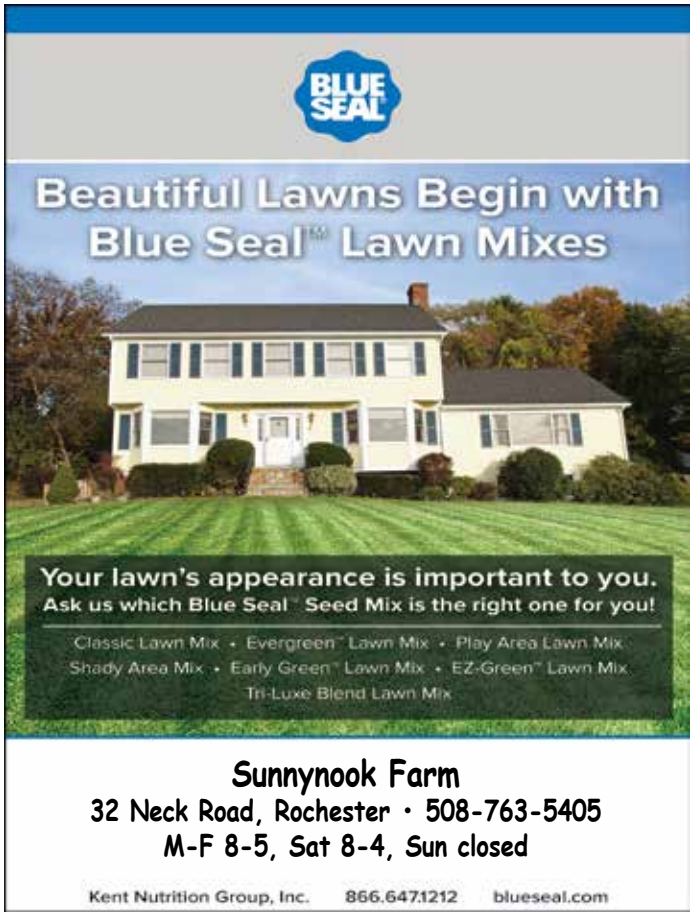
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saying they would be helpful as the process unfolds with the Massachusetts Department of Transportation. MassDOT would study the submitted options for the crosswalk and fully vet the designs.

"My main concern is getting people across Spring Street and Route 105 without getting killed," said Rockwell. He offered anyone with questions or comments to contact him at johnrock@gmail.com or 508-728-5585.

The bike path planning process is well into its 25% completion stage after 22 years of planning and land acquisition. The engineering was funded by a grant from the Community Preservation Fund.

The bike path will follow the old New York, New Haven, and Hartford Railroad Line from Mattapoisett to where Brew Fish is located. Across Route 105, the bike path continues along the old route of the defunct New Bedford & Onset Street Railway Company electric trolley all the way to Washburn Park. It will pass through the park, and reconnect with the railroad route north to Point Road. You can find the map online at www.southcoastbikeway.com/marion.html.

Construction of the bike path will be funded by MassDOT in federal fiscal year 2020 (October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2020).

Opening Reception for *Balance: Real and Abstract*

By Christina Musser

It was an art lover's delight on Friday night, September 9, at the Marion Art Center, when local artists Bess Woodworth and Betsy Payne Cook kicked off their month-long show with an opening reception. Attendees admired both abstract combinations of color and pastel plein air paintings displayed in the MAC's Cecil Clark Davis and Patsy Francis Galleries.

Woodworth specializes in pieces blending color and texture to evoke emotion, while Payne Cook creates realistic paintings using pastels.

"We often will look at two artists who have applied [for a show]," says Executive Director Kimberly Teves, "and know that their artwork fits together." That's exactly what happened with Woodworth and Payne Cook.

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"If I don't like it, I can just throw it in the bathtub," she said with a laugh. The paper doesn't actually absorb the paint; it dries only by evaporation, so it allows for interesting textures to form while the paint is drying. The results are unique – abstract paintings that blend colors in ways that aren't easily done using regular watercolor paper. These paintings are Woodworth's latest creation, and she loves the process from start to finish.

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"It's fun," she says. "You can get lost in them."

Pastel painting is a fundamental part of Payne Cook's life. She writes a newsletter called *Painting In and Out*, teaches workshops and classes, and has even organized a week-long painting workshop in Wales, Great Britain this year.

"This show is really a culmination of thirty paintings in thirty days I did in January 2016. Some of them are upstairs. They made me think about the fact that what I wanted to do was to take that feeling that I have of being on location and bring it to the forefront of my artwork."

Her paintings on display vary from quaint European country cottages to bustling nighttime city streets. She paints in mostly plein air style, which allows her to fully immerse herself in the moment. "I have really tried to capture something of where I was so I could take it home with me."

The public is encouraged to visit the *Balance: Real and Abstract* exhibition, which runs from September 8 through October 7 at the Marion Art Center.

Town Clerk Earns Prestigious Certification

Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen

By Marilou Newell

There are 301 town clerks in the state of Massachusetts, but only half of those ever achieve certification from the Massachusetts Town Clerks' Association. Mattapoisett's town clerk Catherine Heuberger was recognized by the selectmen during the September 12 meeting for her achievement in securing Certified Massachusetts Municipal Clerk designation.

According to a press release from the MTCA "… designation is achieved by attending MTCA educational courses and passing a two hundred and fifty question aptitude test measuring … knowledge of Massachusetts General Laws … in categories such as elections and procedures, vital records, campaign and political finance, town meetings … ethics and public records."

Sitting before the selectmen, Heuberger said, "I'd like to thank my staff and the town for their support." She has also earned the International Institute of Municipal Clerks certification.

Selectman Jordan Collyer said, "This is what we set out to do," when the town began supporting additional spending for continuing education programs for town employees.

Selectman Paul Silva added, "Everyone thinks about the paycheck, but this is a big benefit," referring to educational opportunities.

Also being recognized was Mary Magee who has been a library trustee for many years. Flanked by Susan Pizzolato and members of the Board of Trustees, Magee was lauded for her dedication and hard work, including during the years of planning and construction of the library building.

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The selectmen also had the honor of appointing new volunteers to several boards and commissions. Michael Ward became an associate member of the Board of Appeals, Dennis Perry was appointed to the Finance Committee, Alexandra Murphy as an alternate to the Historical Commission, and William Hall to the Recreation Committee and as the representative to the Community Preservation Committee.

Town Administrator Mike Gagne also asked the board to appoint Bob Teixeira and Bonne DeSousa to the Bike and Pedestrian Committee.

The selectmen also discussed the pressing need for volunteers on the Conservation Commission. Gagne said that of all the boards in town, the Conservation Commission has the heaviest agendas.

"Due to the threat of cancellation for a lack of quorum, I called a forty-eight hour public noticed meeting." That 7:00 am meeting was held on September 11 at which time the selectmen appointed Tyler Macallister as an interim commissioner. "He has the experience and the education," Gagne said.

The selectmen once again urged anyone who is interested in learning more about the duties and responsibilities of the conservation commission and in being considered for one of the three open chairs to submit a letter of interest to their office.

Coming before the board to discuss a Veterans' Day Road Race was two-time Boston Marathon winner

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Geoff Smith. Smith was also an Olympian for Great Britain. Smith described the event as two races: a 5K and a 10-mile race. He said the courses would wind through village streets and into the beach community of Angelica Point. Gagne said that during his discussions with Smith and Tri-Town Veterans Agent Barry Denham, the idea of commemorating the races in honor of past and present servicemen and women was conceived. Gagne said that there would be an opportunity to donate a portion of the race proceeds to the Tri-Town Veterans Agency. The race is scheduled for November 11 at 9:00 am and interested runners may visit www.racewire.com for further details.

Gagne also brought the board up-to-date on meetings with residents in the village for future roadway and sidewalk improvements. "There have been five meeting so far and we plan two walking tours to get more information on areas of specific concern or interest." He said those walking tours would take place on September 20 and 22 with the engineers from VBS and that more details of time and meeting place would be available at www.mattapoisett.net.

The selectmen also issued a Class II Used Motor Vehicle Dealer's License to David Nicolosi to operate a commercial vehicle sales business from the parking lot of Mahoney's Lumber Company.

Gagne announced that free flu shots would be available to Mattapoisett residents who are 18 years of age and older on Thursday, October 12 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm in the Southcoast Health van that will be parked in the Bowl-Mor parking lot.

In the audience for the evening's proceedings were Boy Scouts from Troop 53. Scouts Murray Copps, Andrew Poulin, and Torsten Brickley took notes and were quizzed by Selectman Jordan Collyer at the end of the meeting as to what they had learned. The Scouts were able to correctly identify the town's business the selectmen had handled.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen in scheduled for **September 26** at 6:30 pm in the town hall conference room.

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'Yays' Outweigh 'Nays' for Farmer's Market

Rochester Planning Board

By Jean Perry

The discussion surrounding an agricultural business on Marion Road proposed by Craig Canning of Rochester Farms, LLC went in virtual crop circles on September 12 as Rochester Planning Board members, abutters, proponents, and the developer orbited around topics such as hours of operation, site layout, and what is actually legal on the property as per the bylaws.

Bill Madden, engineer of the project, stood in front silently for over half an hour as Planning Board Chairman Arnold Johnson engaged oppositional abutters and their attorneys in tête-à-têtes, followed by myriad (and at times, trifling) rebuttals from residents who support Canning's "farmer's market" and agricultural operation.

Compared to past Planning Board meetings with scant attendees, the almost 100 people in attendance at the Senior Center seemed like a relative unruly mob (sans the actual unruliness). There were eruptions of applause after positive statements made in favor of the project, with one supporter after the other standing in support.

Attorney Donald Fleming, representing the abutter directly across from the project, Marion Cutler of 223 Marion Road, argued that the Planning Board does not even have jurisdiction over the project now that the Zoning Board of Appeals, which issued the Special Permit for the retail use within an agricultural/residential zone, closed its public hearing. He said the bylaw states that the ZBA could only issue a Special Permit after the Planning Board issues its own decision. Furthermore, he argued that the board could not move forward because the ZBA Special Permit does not allow for the particular use Canning is seeking, including a "restaurant," as Fleming put it, alluding to the service of coffee and prepared foods, along with a "patio" with seating.

As for the ZBA issue, Johnson said it was not the first time the ZBA has issued a Special Permit before Planning Board approval, citing specific examples. "So it's not unprecedented, and believe me," Johnson said, "if we were operating outside the realm of our bylaws, our town counsel would be on the phone with me or in my face."

ZBA approved hours of operation for seven days a week, 7:00 am to 8:00 pm. Cutler said these were excessive and, when asked, suggested perhaps 7:30 am to 6:00 pm. However, the board said it would hesitate to overrule what the ZBA approved – yet not impossible.

Cutler, who said she was, in theory, in favor of a farmer's market, lamented how she has been portrayed as "the bad guy," even on social media.

"I'm in favor of a farmer's market, not a retail store," said Cutler. "We don't need that in Rochester. We have enough…. We don't need a retail store here."

It's not a Wal-Mart, as one female resident grateful of the fact pointed out. It's not a supermarket and it's not low-income housing. "It's the best use of the


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Johnson acknowledged Cutler's appeal of the ZBA decision, and the hearing was continued until the next meeting.

A Site Plan review hearing for Canning's other project, Progressive Grower, Inc., an agricultural distribution facility on Kings Highway and Cranberry Highway, was closed and a draft decision will be reviewed during the next meeting.

Much of the crowd remained for the public hearing for the Borrego Solar Systems, Inc. solar farm slated for Rounseville Road and Mendell Road.

An attorney for property owner Gibbs Bray addressed opponents to the solar farm, saying Bray has been mindful of being a "good neighbor," and he has met all the requirements of the zoning bylaws for the project.

Still, oppositional abutters and residents squeezed in a few last words against the project. In response, Johnson said, "Just because we don't like it, we can't outright deny it."

The board engaged in several back and forth discussions with residents over solar bylaw possibilities and improbabilities, the future of Rochester with solar, the future of solar energy itself…

Now past the two-and-a-half-hour mark in the meeting, the candy reserves of the Planning Board members to the right of the chairman dwindling, Johnson called on the last members of the public to comment or question and ended up defending the Town against one woman's assertions that the Town was not acting on behalf of the citizens to protect open fields in Rochester, pointing out that the Town had already altered its solar bylaw based on a past application.

"I know that you guys want us to make it go away … but we are making changes and that's because we are having this discussion, this back and forth," said Johnson.

Nearing the three-hour mark, the conversation turned to 40B housing, both "hostile" and "friendly," and the ramifications of that as opposed to large-scale solar farms. Talks then took another turn back to "neighborhood character" and then to the screening fence.

"It won't be chain-link and it won't be white. And there's no barbed wire on it," said Johnson, adding that the screening and fence would be taken up at the next meeting before continuing the public hearing until then.

Also during the meeting, the board continued the Site Plan Review public hearing for Wellspring Farms at 42 Hiller Road, preferring to keep the public hearing open until the next meeting until the peer review engineer can submit an updated report.

Attorney for Jim and Holly Vogel, George Boerger, asked the board to close the hearing and take a vote with the condition that any pending items are met, but Johnson turned it down.

"Well, we never vote the same night that we close the public hearing," Johnson said. Usually, he explained,

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the board closes the hearing, meanwhile a draft decision is drawn up for the next meeting for discussion, and then the vote is held the next subsequent meeting.

Abutter Kathy Mendoza of 32 Hiller Road said she has observed vans backing out into roadway, with video proof, and asked if the board should make the entrance one way. After further comments by Boerger, the board conceded that the drive was adequate as stated on the plan, and if they are found in violation of the egress and ingress of the site, then they would be held responsible.

Having said that, "We're not going to solve the neighborhood relations," said Johnson. "We're not *that* good."

In other matters, the board voted to waive the first right of refusal for Chapter 61A property at Alley Road, owned by the estate of Mary Gayoski.

The board also accepted an Approval Not Required request for the same Gayoski property. The land will be subdivided into three buildable lots.

A revised waiver request for Hartley Mills to allow for overhead utility wires instead of underground was approved.

The next meeting of the Rochester Planning Board is scheduled for **September 26** at 7:00 pm at the Rochester Senior Center on Dexter Lane.

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Selectman Joins a Dwindling ConCom

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission

By Marilou Newell

On September 11 in a rare but necessary move, the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen appointed one of its own, Selectman Tyler Macallister, to the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission.

The commission has been struggling to make a quorum in recent months as several of the volunteers to this very busy town board have stepped down. Calls to the public for new members have gone unanswered, while the business of protecting wetlands has continued to increase. To date, the Selectmen's Office had not received a single letter of interest.

But those concerns were put aside as Macallister stepped into the packed town hall conference room and put to good use his experience in the role of a Conservation Commission member, having served the town in this capacity between 2005 and 2011.

It didn't take long for things to get a bit complicated and contentious, as Bruce Rocha's two Notice Of Intent hearings got underway.

Rick Charon of Charon & Associates began the hearing by discussing fill that had been spread across the length of the long, narrow lot located on Mechanic Street but bearing a Barstow Street legal address.

He explained that due to a remapping of FEMA floodplains, the planned single-family dwelling would

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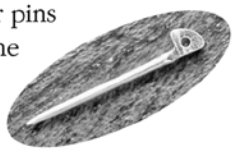


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have to be raised about 16 feet to meet the agency's regulations. There ensued a nearly hour-long and at times combative exchange between abutters and commissioners over the issue of clean fill and volume of fill.

Charon explained that when Rocha purchased the former site of the well-known *Presto Press*, FEMA maps had not included it in the floodplain, therefore allowing Rocha to file an application for a Special Permit with the Zoning Board of Appeals versus first clearing the project through the Conservation Commission. That application was approved. Now that the property fell under the jurisdiction of the ConCom, Rocha needed to modify plans to meet FEMA regulations, hence the necessity to built-up the site.

Charon said, "Currently there is too much fill on the site. Fill will be removed." He also explained that FEMA allowed the process of building up house lots and that the home would not have a basement but a crawl space only.

Conservation Commission Chairman Mike King advised everyone that the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection had submitted their review with "no comments" on the project because there was an absence of any wetlands on or near the site.

But abutters held concerns over whether or not Rocha had had a permit for the filling operation, the quality of the fill, and concerns over stormwater management.

Mark Pelson, 11 Barstow Street, suggested the Town should walk the site to inspect the fill for impurities, as well as the grade of the property he alleges is higher than abutting properties.

Charon responded, "There are no wetlands, so erosion controls are not required. The fill will be reduced in elevation and the fill will be cleaned."

The debate continued as abutters questioned the sequencing of Rocha's applications to the ZBA and ConCom, and whether or not the fill was contaminated.

Matt Michaud, 30 Church Street, spoke at length about alleged asphalt chunks in the fill, and how he is concerned about any health hazards it could cause. Michaud said water running off the site could

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contaminate his lot, and cautioned the Town that it could be held liable should the project go forward, and that he had enlisted the services of an attorney.

In his defense, Rocha said, "When I bought the property, it was not in the floodplain … it didn't come up, that's why I went to the ZBA first."

Macallister responded, "The permit issued by the ZBA for the lot was when it was not in the floodplain," but now, "…we've got to deal with the proper guidelines."

In an effort to bring some clarity to the process at hand, Macallister said the first thing that needed to be determined was the issue of stormwater. But he also made it clear to the group that, "He (Rocha) has a right to build a home. It's going to take some effort."

King said, "We aren't going to allow a project to go forward that negatively impacts others."

The hearing was continued with Charon charged with returning on September 25 with information on surrounding lot elevations and plan modifications that detailed grass swales around the property.

Macallister warned the abutters, saying, "I'll be very surprised if DEP says the soils are contaminated." He shared that the DEP considers fill to be clean, even when containing asphalt tailings. He said he would call the DEP the following day and have a conversation, but that he would not be opening up an investigation.

When the next hearing got underway for Rocha's NOI filing for the adjacent lot, 16 Barstow Street, it was quickly reviewed and then continued for the same reasons, although that parcel had received clearance from FEMA with a "letter of map approval" granting Rocha a type of waiver with the inclusion of 200 yards of fill. This application was also continued until September 25.

In other matters, Jeffrey Hutton, 7 Kings Philip Road, saw his NOI filing continued until September 25 to give engineer Richard Riccio of Field Engineering the opportunity to rework proposed grading on the site.

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The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission is scheduled for **September 25** at 6:30 pm in the town hall conference room.

Building the Bulldog Block

ORR Update

By Jo Caynon

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Here's how the Bulldog Block works:

During the first school day of each week, students will meet with their assigned advisor and plan out what they will do during the period for the rest of the week. Students can also be pre-assigned by teachers on certain days to make up tests or attend a club meeting.

Members of the Dreamfar club, which trains for and runs a marathon each year, were one of the first groups to plan a meeting during the Bulldog Block.

"We discussed new team names and colors because we're forming a separate SouthCoast high school marathon club," said senior Hannah Powers.

In addition to extra help and clubs, student meetings are also slated to take place during the block. For example, on Friday the freshman class had an assembly on the roles of the student government positions ahead of their class election. The National Honor Society also had their first gathering of the year, coincidentally on the subject of NHS elections as well.

With their first week of Bulldog Blocks under their belt, many voice their support for the budding program. In a class of 18 seniors, all unanimously agreed that the Bulldog Block was generally helpful for them.

"It's convenient for meetings, but not so much for working on homework assignments," said senior Grace Stephens. "With only thirty-five minutes, it's not feasible for getting anything major done."

The general consensus among teachers was positive as well. In multiple subjects, teachers have begun organizing certain days of the week for different levels of their courses to come for help.

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and it went really well," said Latin teacher Judy Pretat. "At the moment, the Bulldog Block makes the day feel really long, but once we get used to it, it will be fine. I honestly think it's a really good idea, especially since it'll keep us from pulling certain leadership club members out of classes for meetings."

ORR's new technology teacher MJ Linane said, "I think it's a much better management of after school activities." He continued, "When people have to plan in advance about what they're going to do for each day, they make a much more thoughtful choice. I'd like to see the directed studies become a version of this."

Falling Back Into the Groove at ORR, OC, Tabor

High School Sports Update

By Jonathan Comey

When it comes to fall sports and activities at the high school level, it's all about participation.

At Tabor Academy, Old Rochester Regional, and Old Colony, September is about sprinkling the seeds for a successful athletic program.

"Our theme goes back to the concept of team," said Tabor Athletic Director Conan Leary. "We look at three phases – participation, development, and competitiveness. The participation piece is huge, especially at the entry level. We are really more excited about getting the kids involved than anything else."

Leary, in his second year as Tabor's AD, noted that about 75 percent of the school takes part in fall team activities, which includes things like drama and dance.

For Old Rochester AD Bill Tilden, "It's definitely the busiest time of the year, at least in terms of the number of teams. Just think of trying to get all the kids registered, so many of them have never played at the high school level and we want it to go smoothly for them."

Tilden is proud of ORR's athletic participation number, which he estimates to be over 450 of the school's 800+ students in just fall sports.

With girls' volleyball, boys' and girls' soccer, boys' and girls' cross country, and football and field hockey all in the mix, there's always a game happening somewhere once the season gets going in September.

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At Old Colony, AD Matt Trahan is happy to see another strong turnout in the fall.

"Where we stand right now is two hundred and twenty athletes in the fall – that's the highest here as long as I can remember," he said. "Participation is great, and the kids seem to really enjoy being part of it.

"For me, it's really fulfilling to see things moving in the direction they're in," said Trahan.

Here's a look at what's happening on the three Tri-Town athletic fields:

Tabor Academy

Tabor is gearing up for the regular season in most sports, which start midweek, and will be competing in a new league this year: the prestigious ISL (Independent School League).

"We have been wanting to get in for years," said Leary, a long-time Tabor coach who is in his second year as AD and is still the school's wrestling coach. When St. Paul's of New Hampshire left the league, Tabor was one of nine schools to apply.

"Luckily, we were selected, and we were very grateful," Leary said. "It's a very reputable league, catches a lot of eyes, turns a lot of heads in terms of recruiting for colleges.

"And a big thing is, just as far as distance, this puts us in a Boston-area league, where we were going 90 minutes, two hours away to play just about every road game. It's great for the kids, and stretches them and our coaches so much less."

One athlete who college recruiters are sure to be looking at is **Aly Hussein**, who won the boys' cross country New England title last year for Tabor and returns to lead a stacked team.

The football team won the Class B New England title last year, winning at home under the (rented) lights in an exciting affair. They will compete for it again despite longer odds and a tougher schedule, led by running back **Angel Santiago** (Plymouth) and wide receiver **Seth Kourtesis**.

"They seem positive and upbeat, they know they're up against it this year," Leary said, noting that the team had two scrimmages this week before opening on the road September 23 at St. Mark's. "My overall evaluation is that they're athletic but small."

And Leary says watch out for the girls' soccer team, which has been on a run since winning the New England title earlier in the decade. Led by scorer **Kat Barry** and the speed of **Jaydah Bedoya,** he thinks they have a playoff run ahead under Coach Steve Sughrue.

"They've got a great attitude, and they work hard," he said. "They really work together; they're definitely the model for teamwork."

Old Rochester Regional

While Tilden isn't ready to crown the Old Rochester versus Wareham football opener as the 'Game of the Century,' he'd have to admit it was pretty darn



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good – especially since his Bulldogs came up with the 41-40 Cranberry Bowl win.

The game was a battle of top running backs, ORR's **Harry Smith** vs. Wareham's Isaac Nascimento, with Smith scoring four touchdowns and topping 300 yards in the comeback win. Smith and Nascimento both set school touchdown scoring records along the way.

"Harry is one of those fun-loving kids that's great to be around, his intensity is great, he's having a good time," Tilden said. "I think the kids enjoy blocking for him, they know he appreciates what they do."

As to the game, which was played at Wareham, "It was pretty electric, the rain showers came through to add a layer to it, and it stayed close all the way through. You never knew what was going to happen. The two offenses were so spectacular," said Tilden.

And it was good to see the long-time rivals both playing at their peak.

"I was looking at the Cranberry Bowl trophy, and there have been a lot of lopsided games on there," he said. "But I think everyone knew walking in that these teams have high hopes, and I don't think losing takes away from Wareham's – they played a fantastic game."

Next up for the Bulldogs is another road game versus a rival, this Friday night at Apponequet.

While ORR's "Dawg Pound" was largely in Wareham for the football showdown last week, the girls' volleyball team was coming up with an equally thrilling

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3-2 comeback home win over Fairhaven that went past the two-hour mark.

"We haven't beaten Fairhaven in a long time," Tilden said, noting that the game went past two hours. ORR followed it with a 3-1 win over Somerset on Monday, and they play Sturgis on Friday.

"They had high hopes for this season, and this group seems to have jelled very well," he said, adding that JV coach Jimmy Oliveira, a veteran of the New Bedford High program, was taking over the varsity for the first time.

Off the field, Old Rochester soccer and track athlete **Mikayla Gardner** was chosen to serve on the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association's

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Friday September 15, 2017
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9:00 AM Sing Along Fun with Miss Miriam
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11:00 AM Cape Cod Canal Exhibit
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1:00 PM Money Matters TV
1:30 PM Fox Robbins Business Show
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8:30 AM Storytime at Carver Memorial Library
9:00 AM Small Factory Productions
9:30 AM Sing Along Fun with Miss Miriam
10:00 AM Eat Well Be Happy
10:30 AM Eat Well Be Happy
11:00 AM A Tale of Two Cities
12:00 PM Tri-Town Rundown
12:30 PM Tae Kwon Do
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3:00 PM Marshfeild Town Meeting with Senator Warren
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5:00 PM Sci-Fi Journal
6:00 PM First Congregational Church of Rochester
7:00 PM Neighborhoods to Nations
8:00 PM Tri-Town Rundown
8:30 PM Perils For Pedestrians
9:00 PM Classic Movie
11:00 PM Words on Film



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8:00 AM Seniors – How to Maintain Your Independence
9:00 AM Small Factory Productions
9:30 AM Children's Corner
10:00 AM What's Linda Cooking?
10:30 AM Eat Well be Happy
11:00 AM Painting Journeys
12:00 PM Movie
1:30 PM Yoga for Health
2:00 PM A Taste of Theater
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3:00 PM Tae Kwon Do
3:30 PM Physician Focus
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5:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
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3:30 PM Eat Well Be Happy
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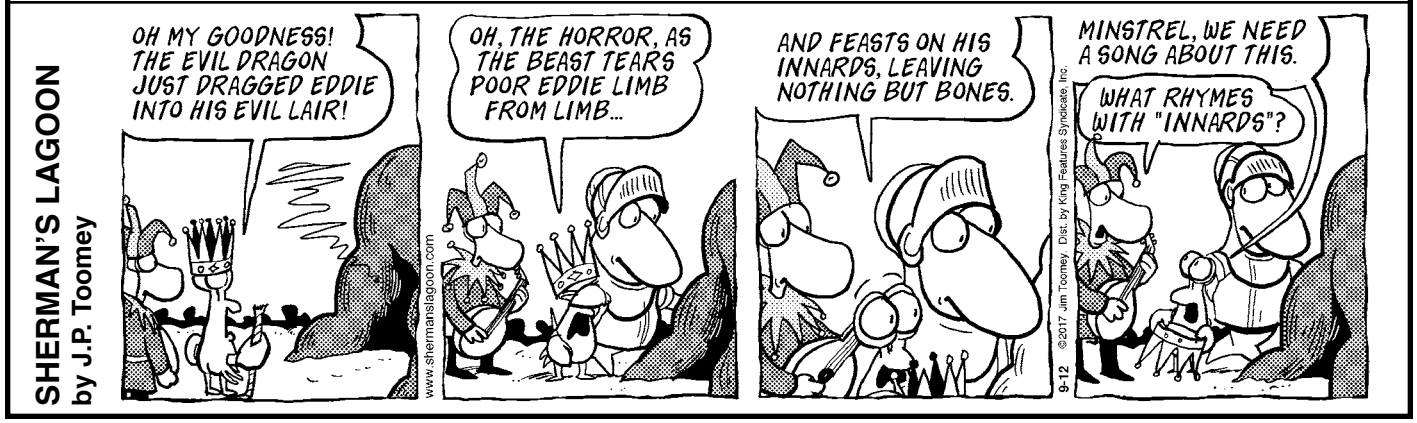
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10:30 AM Recipes Unwrapped
11:00 AM Painting Journeys
12:00 PM Movie
1:00 PM Tri-Town Rundown
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"It's just a small group of kids. They meet once a month on rules, tournaments, and it's really an honor to be selected," he said. "Mikayla is an incredible kid."

Old Colony

While the 20-0 defeat in the season opener versus Sacred Heart wasn't indicative of the type of game the Cougars played, it was still a disappointment.

But AD Trahan knows that coach Brandon Mendez and his staff will get things back on track as they prepare for Game 2 on Saturday versus Holbrook at Brockton High (11:00 am).

"For us, it's a regroup, recommit type of thing," he said. "The coaches know it's about keeping upbeat and emphasize the positive. I saw them in the film room. They were going over what was good and what was off, working together on it."

New sophomore QB **Kyle Schultz** is finding his way, and a healthy return by RB **Jarred Gagne** should help.

The boys' soccer team lost star Paul Soucy to graduation, but Coach Sergio Pedrosa has younger brother **Zach Soucy** and sophomore **Hunter Soares** to fill the void. Their first big test comes next Wednesday versus Upper Cape. "The league's been between us and them the last couple of years, always a good matchup," Trahan said.

The volleyball team turned heads with a 3-0 win over Diman (about double OC's enrollment), and Trahan says the team has record numbers.

Looking ahead, Old Colony is excited about Homecoming Week in October, where a donation of lights from D.W. White means night soccer games (boys' and girls') and a Friday night football game.

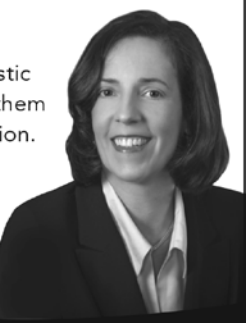
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George B. Mock, Jr. died September 4, 2017 following a stroke. He was 87. A native of Albany, Georgia, he had resided in Mattapoisett since 1965.

Before coming to the New Bedford area, he worked in the international petroleum industry with Esso Standard, Standard-Vacuum Oil, and Arthur D. Little, Inc. A graduate of Georgia Tech and Harvard Business School, he joined William F. Nye, Inc. (now Nye Lubricants, Inc.) in 1963 as Technical Director. Later he would become President, Treasurer, and Chairman of the Board.

He spent two years from 1954 to 1956 in the U.S. Army Chemical Corps, including six months in the South Pacific for Operation Redwing.

Mr. Mock's community involvement included 20 years as a trustee of Tobey Hospital in Wareham and the successor Southcoast Health System. He served as a director of the Buzzards Bay Coalition and as treasurer of the Association of Field Ornithologists. He was on the board of directors of the Inter-Church Council, serving as its treasurer for six years. He was a communicant of St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church in Marion and served on its Vestry.

He is survived by his wife, Elise; two sons, George B. Mock III (Caroline) of Mattapoisett and Frederic C. Mock (Cindy) of Marion; five grandchildren, Anne Mock of New York City, James Mock of San Francisco; Phoebe, Tessa, and Gwyneth Mock of Marion; two sisters, Anita Hudgens of Leesburg, GA and Marianne Wallace of Sarasota, FL; and several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his brothers, James Donald Mock and Thomas Whaley Mock, both of Albany, GA.

His Memorial Service was held on Saturday September 9, 2017 at St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, 124 Front St., Marion. Visiting hours were omitted. Contributions in his memory may be made to St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, P.O. Box 545, Marion, MA 02738. Arrangements are by the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Mattapoisett. For online condolence book, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Acclaimed maritime artist and larger-than-life local activist, **Alexander Byron**, 87, died September 5th in Plymouth. Born in New Bedford, Alex was a lifelong local, residing in Wareham, Bourne, and Scituate before settling in Marion with his wife Suzanne over 50 years ago.

A self-taught oil painter, Alex spent the last decades of his life interpreting and preserving the maritime history he knew and loved so well. He created incredibly detailed and vivid recreations of historic ships and events, using blueprints and endless research to build his paintings like ships, in layers. His love of New Bedford whaling history took him all the way to the Arctic Circle, where he led several expeditions in the 70's to recover the sunken whaler Ansel Gibbs. After surviving a blizzard for several days alone on Marble Island, he was named "Mad Dog" by the local Inuit, a name he carried proudly -- and was always careful to live up to -- for the rest of his life.

Byron graduated from Bourne High School and Duke University and earned a master's degree in economics from George Washington University. He spent his early career in PR and politics in Washington D.C., working for two U.S. presidents and going on diplomatic missions to Russia and Greece. By the mid-sixties, Alex and his wife had settled into family life, owning and operating Byron's Landing restaurant, a waterfront landmark on Route 6 in Buzzard's Bay until its close in 1986. If you ate at Byron's Landing, there's a good chance you met and were charmed by Alex. He probably showed you some of his early paintings, hung (or painted) on walls he personally lined with wood from historic buildings he tried to save.

Alex served in the U.S. Marine Corps. Honor and tradition were important to him. He was a family man, a self-described "love slave" for his wife of 52 years and a devoted father and grandfather, always striving to inspire and enrich those around him. He gave freely of his time and love. He believed all things were possible. He was adventurous, wildly intelligent, and fun to be around; an indomitable spirit who will forever loom large to all who loved and knew him.

Alex is preceded in death by his parents, James and Evelyn Byron of Wareham, and his brother, the Honorable Chris Byron of Rochester.

Alex is survived by his wife Suzanne of Marion; sons James Allen and Christopher Charles of Marion; daughters Florence Marie of Marion and Suzanne Elizabeth of Wareham; granddaughter Anthea Tripanier and her husband David of Fairhaven; brother Charles of Wareham; and sisters Florence and Joanne Byron of Wareham.

Graveside services will be held at Evergreen Cemetery in Marion Thursday, September 14 at 1:30 pm, with a reception to follow nearby.

Arrangements by Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Wareham. For directions and on-line guestbook visit: www.ccgfuneralhome.com



Donald J. Torres, 80 passed away Friday, July 21, 2017 in the home he loved on the Weweantic River, with his wife at his side, Ora Mae Torres.

Born in New Bedford, the son of the late Sofia and Jacinto Torres, he was the first in his family to attain a college education.

He graduated from the University of Massachusetts in Amherst with a Bachelor's Degree. He continued his education and graduated with a Master's Degree in Education from Bridgewater State College and then went on to Carnegie Mellon to receive a Masters of Arts in History.

Mr. Torres became an educator in New Bedford and

Freetown school system where he taught at both the Middle and High School level. Mr. Torres then went on to become the State Director of Title III which dealt with innovative programming in the school systems.

Ever passionate about education, Mr. Torres was not only a student and teacher, but also an advocate. Mr. Torres became an activist for education at a national level where he was appointed the Federal Liaison at the Council of Chief State School Offices. He campaigned tirelessly on behalf of gender equality in schools and was an integral part of the passing of Title IX, a portion of the United States Education Amendments in 1972. The Amendment mandated schools receiving federally funded programs could not discriminate or exclude a person based on their sex. Title IX is best known for ensuring equality in sports, but also applies to any federally funded activities in school. The passage of that legislation is Mr. Torres proudest achievement.

Upon his return to Massachusetts, Mr. Torres directed his energies as a Program Director of various grant projects throughout the Commonwealth. Mr. Torres was also very active on several local committees in Marion, including the Sewer Expansion Committee. He was most gratified with his work as Chairman of The Mattapoisett River Valley Water District Commission where he served as Chairman and dedicated many years of service to both the MRV Planning Committee and the MRV Water District Commission.

Mr. Torres is survived by his wife, Ora Mae Torres, daughter, Donna M. Torres, brother-in-laws, Henry and Mark DeJesus, nieces Joan DeJesus, Sarah DeJesus, Karen Medeiros, and great nieces, Olivia and Ruby Medeiros and several cousins in the local community. He is also survived by his best friend of 50 years, Charles "Chuck" Hostetler of Pennsylvania.

"Don" will be missed for his acerbic wit and dramatic personality. If one were to ever meet Don, they would never forget him, thus was the impression he would make.

A Celebration of Life reception will be held on September 30, 2017 from 2-4 pm at his home, 21 Dexter Rd. in Marion. We welcome your presence in remembering Don.



James E. Welch, 90, of Lakeville passed away peacefully on Saturday September 9, 2017 after a period of declining health. He was the husband of Mary M. (Saunders) Welch; they had been married for 65 years.

Born in Fall River, the son of the late Dr. Edward J. and Catherine (Connerton) Welch, he lived in New Bedford for many years before moving to Lakeville 35 years ago.

A lifelong educator, Mr. Welch taught at various schools in Mattapoisett and New Bedford, served as assistant principal at the John A. Parker School and as principal of the Phillips Avenue School until his retirement in 1988.

He was a graduate of Holy Family High School, Providence College where he received his Bachelor of Arts degree, and Bridgewater State College where he received his Master's Degree in Education.

During World War II, he served in the U.S. Army.

He was a member of the American Legion Post 121 in Berkley and the Massachusetts Teachers Association. He was a former member of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick.

He was an avid reader who was always interested in the activities of his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

The family would like to extend special thanks to his good friend, Gerry McGrath, for his constant friendship throughout the years.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; five children, Edward J. Welch and his wife Janis, Thomas J. Welch and his wife Andrea, Marilou Allen and her husband Joseph, Catherine Rego and her husband Ronald, and James E. Welch, Jr.; 14 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

He was the brother of the late Kathleen Sheerin, Edward Welch, and Thomas Welch.

His Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday September 13, 2017 at 11 am at Holy Name of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Fall River. Visitation will be on Wednesday from 9:30-10:30 am at the Saunders-Dwyer Home for Funerals, 495 Park St., New Bedford prior to the Mass. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the New Bedford High School Library Fund, Attn: Headmaster, 230 Hathaway Blvd., New Bedford, MA 02740. For directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Rev. Carl A. Krueger, age 70, of Mattapoisett, MA died in peace on September 11, 2017 at Charlton Memorial Hospital. He is survived by his loving wife Nancy of 48 years and their two children, Amy Krueger and Aaron Krueger, and his daughter-in-law Jennifer Krueger. He was the loving "Gramps" of two grandchildren, Annabelle and Henry.

He graduated from Concordia College, Fort Wayne, IN in 1969. He received his Master of Divinity from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO in 1973. He served Our Saviour Lutheran Church, Fulton, NY from 1973-1981, Lutheran Church of the South Shore, Hanover and Hingham, MA from 1981-1983, Hope Lutheran Church, Upper St. Clair, PA from 1983-1987, Zion Lutheran Church, Schenectady, NY from 1988-1995 and St. John Lutheran Church, Meriden, CT from 1995-1999.

A memorial service will be held at St. John Lutheran Church in Meriden, CT on Saturday September 23, 2017 at 11 AM. The burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be made to St. John Lutheran Church, 520 Paddock Ave., Meriden, CT 06450. Arrangements are by the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Mattapoisett. For online condolence book, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Movie Review

Earth Mother

By Rob Gonsalves
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***Beatriz at Dinner.* Starring Salma Hayek and John Lithgow. Directed by Miguel Arteta. Running time: 83 minutes. MPAA rating: R. On home video this week.**

I'm not sure whether *Beatriz at Dinner* is, as advertised, "the first great film of the Trump era" (*Get Out* might beg to differ), but that's a reductive tag anyway. Its concerns go deeper (and it was finished months before Election Day 2016), so don't let that description scare you away or foster unrealistic expectations. The movie is not the savage jugular-punch to the current administration that some will want and others will wearily and warily expect. It's accidentally topical — it could just as easily have been made in the mid-2000s, on the heels of the two other films by *Beatriz*' makers, *Chuck & Buck* (2000) and *The Good Girl* (2002). But director Miguel Arteta and screenwriter Mike White speak to today's preoccupations precisely by *not* tying themselves to the present.

The movie is archetypal, not satirically specific. Beatriz (Salma Hayek) is a massage therapist and general holistic healer, and also an undocumented immigrant. Her opposite number here is Doug Strutt (John Lithgow), a real-estate magnate who seems to represent the values that validate Trump without actually being much like Trump. Mike White allows Doug some wit and self-awareness, and Lithgow makes him quick and shrewd, but with an understanding that Doug's self-opinion is deeply divided. Doug is reflective, even existentially aware of his place in the world. In his way, Doug is the most honest person in the movie. He's joshingly cruel but he never pretends to be anything other than what he is.

Beatriz is brought into Doug's sphere when she's stuck at a client's house by car trouble. Her client is Kathy (Connie Britton), the sort of conscientious rich white woman, blind to her own privilege, who thinks of her massage therapist Beatriz as a friend because having a woman like Beatriz as a friend makes a woman like Kathy feel warm and gracious. (She commiserates tastefully when a saddened Beatriz says her neighbor killed her goat.) Beatriz knows they're not really friends, though she once treated and helped Kathy's (offscreen) daughter through her chemotherapy. She knows how easily a rich white person's affection is given, and withdrawn. Beatriz doesn't say much until some wine loosens her tongue, but the great actress Hayek writes an entire novel wordlessly, with stares of despair or outrage.

Beatriz at Dinner has also been described as a comedy, but it isn't really — the level of camp is awfully low (it spikes a bit in some of Beatriz' flights of fantasy), and the few laughs are uncomfortable. There *is* one top-notch twisted joke: these rich people love passing grotesque photos around on their phones; it happens twice, and both times Beatriz is horrified, and finally livid. Beatriz is more or less marooned at the California mansion of Kathy and her husband Grant (David Warshofsky) as an important business dinner, involving Doug Strutt, looms later in the evening. Amusingly, except for Doug, the men seem indistinct; the women come off snappy and precise. They're intelligent and know the right things to say to continue presenting as compassionate people, but some part of their soul is gone, scabbed over. They enable their men to kill the world.

Sometimes Hayek's Beatriz is powerful Earth Mother, other times just a slumped, small-statured woman trying to get through the day. She is the conscience of the earth, but hardly its consciousness. She feels others' pain, even a dying octopus, and may be too intense an empath to function in a harsh world created by the rich and white. She seems to understand Doug, or would like to think so (she keeps saying she knows him from somewhere), but Doug has her number the moment he lays eyes on her. His final words to her reverberate far past the end credits. *Beatriz at Dinner* is being sold as some sort of Greenaway-esque satire of manners, but it's a good deal more troubling than that. It bothers us long after it's over, bringing us back to Beatriz' death-haunted eyes, looking for the man who killed her goat.

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Writers are compensated, and those hoping to sharpen their writing and journalism skills will appreciate the support, writing advice, and constructive criticism from the editor as you strengthen your skills.

Interested students may contact News Editor Jean Perry via email at jean@wanderer.com.

Letters to the Editor

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TriTown Happenings





Marion Art Center visitors enjoyed the opening reception for Balance: Real and Abstract Art, featuring paintings by Betsy Payne Cook and Bess Woodward. Photos by Christina Musser





Right: Old Colony Superintendent Aaron Polansky, featured in this week's Tri-Town Profiles, is passionate about what he does. "Being in this setting makes me feel connected to the kids, and that I can build a community around what we are." Left: A student and teacher in the Old Colony welding shop. Photos by Jonathan Comey





The "Grand Gathering" reunion of the four original Old Rochester Regional High School classes of 1962 through 1965 was recently held in Marion. Photos courtesy Dick Morgado

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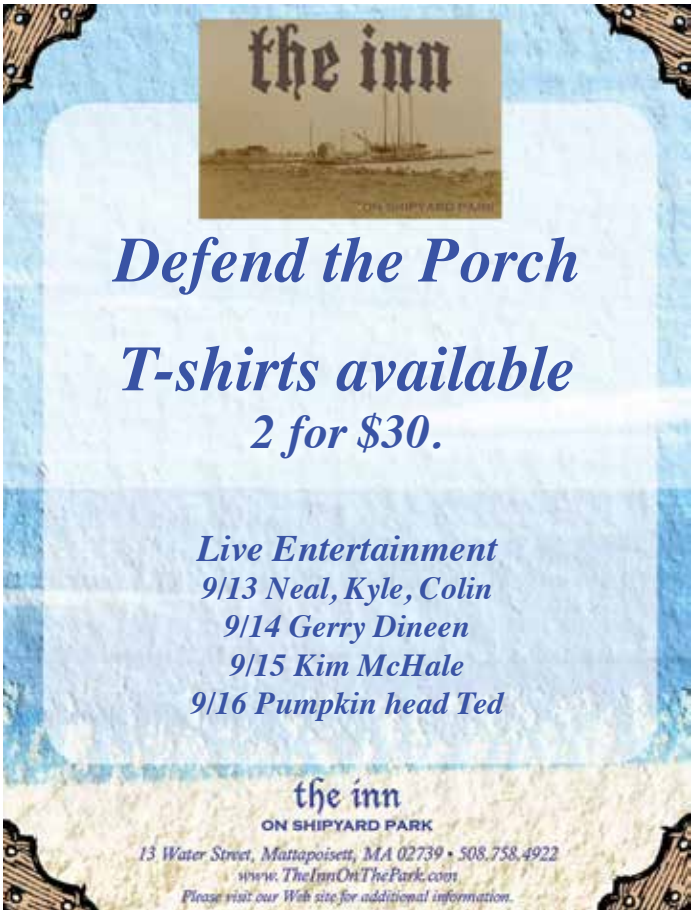
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To the Editor:

Plumb's SLP (Sign-Up, Log, Participate!) Summer Program, "Build a Better World," began on June 21 and ended on August 21. All "loggers" enjoyed a Bash at Bonney's ice cream party to celebrate summer accomplishments and to wish our reading dog, Amos, a happy 8th birthday! Special thanks to vocalist/guitarist Scott Bissonnette for serenading us, and for the Captain Bonney's Team and free ice cream toppings!

The Plumb SLP is held every summer to provide a free summer enrichment program for kids, young adults and adults. Plumb's program combined fun and educational activities, workshops, shows, and challenges, while also encouraging reading for pleasure, physical activity, community service, and STEAM! Plumb scheduled over 20 brain, body and community building in-house programs in June, July and August for all ages. We also provided over 100 online challenges within Wandoo Reader, our online activity and reading log. Attendance for the summer programs totaled 1,000 and 975 individually completed challenges were submitted!

We wish to extend a HUGE thanks to the Friends of Plumb Library, the Rochester Lions Club, the MA/







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TriTown Happenings





Chowder's ON! *– …and so is the competition. Public safety employees and professional establishments served up their best chowders during the September 16 Mattapoisett Firefighters Association's 3rd Annual Chowder Cook-Off. Photos by Jean Perry*





One of the newest residents of Mattapoisett, Jackson, loved his first beach playtime in Mattapoisett. Jackson is an 8-week-old yellow Lab who was recently adopted by a lucky family in Mattapoisett. Photo by Faith Ball





Cat Tails and Cocktails – *It's All About the Animals last Thursday held an invitation-only cocktail party to celebrate the opening of its new addition and "catio" (cats + screened-in patio= catio). The addition was dedicated to contractor Matthew Sherman, who passed away before completion of the project. Rescue cats now enjoy more space and an outdoor catio while they pass the time before finding a forever home. Photos by Jean Perry*

These photos and more are available online at www.wanderer.com

Rochester Cultural Council, Pilgrim Bank, and the ORR CFCE Office (STEM Grant) for funding all programs.

Also supporting the theme of building a better community, several of our "edu-tainers" discounted their programs for us! Thanks to Pinto Bella Hoops, ScienceTellers, MakerSpace, Samantha Enos' Zumbini and Zumba Jr for Kids, Deb Banna's Manga for Teens, and Marsha Hartley for Adult Chair Yoga. Special thanks to Girl Scout Troop 81001, Nancy Sparklin, Holly and Amos, Roger Menard, Plumb Library staff, the Jr. Friends of Plumb Library, and PlumberElla for providing free programs.

We are also thankful for community support to promote our program and/or provide us with free venues, prizes, treats, and books. Thank you Big E, Captain Bonney's, Carousel Family Fun Center, Country Whip, Eric Carle Museum, First Congregational Church, Friendly's, Gleason Family YMCA, Kool Kone, Librarians from ORR JHS, HS, and RMS, Lloyd's Market, Plumb Market, Rochester Golf Club, RMS PTO, Rood Family, Tree Top Adventures, USS Constitution Museum, and Yankee Candle.

Stay tuned for Ms. Lisa's visit to RMS (Sept. 15), for the Bruin's Grand Prize Winner Announcement, and for details about the 2018 music-themed program "Libraries Rock."

Hope to see you soon.

"Mrs. Lisa"

Children's Services, Plumb Library

To the Editor:

It's All About the Animals, Inc., a 501(c)(3) nonprofit no-kill animal shelter located at 103 Marion Road, Rochester, MA, is pleased to announce that our doors will once again be open after the completion of our shelter addition! Please come join us at our OPEN HOUSE on Saturday, September 9 and Sunday, September 10 from 1:00 to 4:00 pm to celebrate! At the open house, you can view our new addition to the shelter, meet our adoptable felines and some of our volunteers, have a complimentary cup of coffee from our new coffee bar and enjoy some snacks. For more information, please visit our website

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Tri-town Police Logs

MARION

Log highlights Sept 3-Sept 9

- Delano Rd – EMS/medical
- Water St – EMS/medical
- Front St – MV collision
- Front St –Waterways emergency
- South St – Health/welfare
- Mill St – Animal complaint
- Wareham Rd – EMS/medical
- Briggs Ln – Health/welfare
- Delano Rd – EMS/medical
- Front St – MV collision
- Front St – Suspicious person
- Island Wharf Rd – Suspicious MV
- Route 195 West – MV collision
- Pine Hill Ln – Mental Health assist
- Front St – EMS/medical
- Point Rd – Officer wanted
- Main St – MV collision
- Hastings Rd – Health/welfare
- Point Rd – Paper service
- Point Rd – EMS/medical
- Arrowhead Ln – Paper service
- South St – Health/welfare
- Mill St – EMS/medical
- Route 195 East – MV collision
- Briggs Ln – Officer wanted
- Briggs Ln – Family offense/arrest
- Point Rd – Family offense/PC
- Front St – Juvenile offense
- Maple Ave – Officer wanted

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights Sept 3-Sept 9

- Neds Point Rd – MV lockout
- Pinehurst Ave – B&E
- Homestead Ct - Complaint
- County Rd – Narcotics/drugs
- Church St – B&E/MV
- Howard Beach – Maritime/all calls
- Park St – Sex offenses
- Park St – Search warrant
- Holly Woods Rd – Health/welfare
- Pinehurst Ave – Follow up investigation
- Park St – Health/welfare
- Church St Ext – Health/welfare
- County Rd - Threats
- Island View Ave – Restraining order
- I195 West – MV crash
- North St – 911 call
- Fieldstone Dr – Suspicious persons
- Angelica Ave – Health/welfare
- County Rd – 911 call
- Church St – Restraining order violation
- Brandt Island Rd – Search warrant
- Aucoot Rd – Medical assist
- North St - Medical
- County Rd – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- I195 East – MV crash
- Deep Woods Dr – Officer wanted
- North St – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Wildwood Ter – Assist citizen
- Massasoit Way – 911 abandoned

ROCHESTER

Log highlights Sept 3-Sept 9

- Marion Rd – Assist other agency
- Marion Rd – Ambulance request
- Mendell Rd – Ambulance request
- Walnut Plain Rd – MV accident
- Snipatuit Rd – MV accident
- Walnut Plain Rd – Noise complaint
- Paradise Ln - Complaint
- North Ave - Complaint
- Pine St – Officer wanted
- Forbes Rd – Suspicious activity
- Forster Rd – Ambulance request
- Braley Hill Rd – Officer wanted
- Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
- North Ave - Investigation
- North Ave – 911 abandoned
- Allen Rd – Suspicious MV
- Cushman Rd – Ambulance request
- North Ave – MV accident
- Stevens Rd – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Pine St – Officer wanted
- Neck Rd – Suspicious MV
- North Ave – Suspicious MV
- Wordell St – Ambulance request
- Stevens Rd – Officer wanted
- Dexter Ln – Restraining order service
- Walnut Plain Rd – Officer wanted
- Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
- Marys Pond Rd - Disturbance
- Paradise Ln – Noise complaint

For a full PDF of the three town's police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.

Regional Lunch Menus

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, Sept 18: Shepherd's pie, California blend veg, oatmeal roll, applesauce
Tuesday, Sept 19: German beef stew, whipped sweet potato, multigrain roll, fresh orange
Wednesday, Sept 20: Autumn harvest soup, chicken piccata, parsley mashed potato, whole wheat roll, apple pie diet: fresh apple
Thursday, Sept 21: Stuffed shells w/ tomato florentine sauce, green beans, dinner roll, peaches
Friday, Sept 22: new Bedford style seafood casserole, confetti rice, fall blend veg, dinner roll, pears

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, Sept 18: Chicken parmesan, lightly buttered noodles, sauteed spinach w/garlic, fresh fruit, milk
Tuesday, Sept 19: Sloppy Joe sandwich, French fries, green beans, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, Sept 20: Waffles, sausage, hash brown orange smiles, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, Sept 21: Roasted pork dinner, mashed potato w/gravy, apple sauce, green beans, fresh baked cookie, fruit, milk
Friday, Sept 22: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing, fresh fruit, milk

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, Sept 18: Chicken parmesan, lightly buttered noodles, sauteed spinach w/garlic, fresh fruit, milk
Tuesday, Sept 19: Sloppy Joe sandwich, French fries, green beans, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, Sept 20: Waffles, sausage, hash brown orange smiles, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, Sept 21: Roasted pork dinner, mashed potato w/gravy, apple sauce, green beans, fresh baked cookie, fruit, milk
Friday, Sept 22: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing, fresh fruit, milk

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, Sept 18: Chicken parmesan served over spaghetti, steamed broccoli, fresh fruit, milk
Tuesday, Sept 19: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato basil soup, goldfish crackers, cucumber wheels, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, Sept 20: No lunch served
Thursday, Sept 21: Teriyaki chicken, rice pilaf, steamed green beans, fresh baked cookie, fruit, milk
Friday, Sept 22: Cheese quesadilla, salsa, sour cream, black bean & corn salad, Mexican rice, fresh fruit, milk

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, Sept 18: Chicken parmesan, lightly buttered noodles, sauteed spinach w/garlic, fresh fruit, milk
Tuesday, Sept 19: Sloppy Joe sandwich, French fries, green beans, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, Sept 20: Waffles, sausage, hash brown, orange smiles, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, Sept 21: Roasted pork dinner, mashed potato w/gravy, apple sauce, green beans, fresh baked cookie, fruit, milk
Friday, Sept 22: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing, fresh fruit, milk

SIPPICAN SCHOOL

Monday, Sept 18: Chicken parmesan, lightly buttered noodles, sauteed spinach w/garlic, fresh fruit, milk
Tuesday, Sept 19: Sloppy Joe sandwich, French fries, green beans, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, Sept 20: Waffles, sausage, hash brown, orange smiles, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, Sept 21: Roasted pork dinner, mashed potato w/gravy, apple sauce, green beans, fresh baked cookie, fruit, milk
Friday, Sept 22: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing, fresh fruit, milk

OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, Sept 18: Mexican chicken bowl w/corn muffin
Tuesday, Sept 19: Sheppard's pie & biscuit
Wednesday, Sept 20: Linguica sandwich & baked beans
Thursday, Sept 21: Mozzarella sticks, fries, marinara sauce & bread
Friday, Sept 22: Assorted stuffed crust pizza & Caesar salad

www.itsallabouttheanimals.org, our Facebook page @ itsallabouttheanimalsinc, email us at ohnokitty1@gmail.com, or call us at 508-763-2035. We hope you can make it!
Thank you,
Danielle Czarnowski
It's All About the Animals, Inc.

To the Editor;

Three years in the making, Marion's new official Master Plan is finally ready for prime time. Its colorful, concise, easy-to-read format presents the community's vision of our town for the next decade and beyond. Incorporating ideas drawn from five public workshops, hundreds of comments by advisory groups and residents, as well as prior year's planning documents and the expertise of our consultants at SRPEDD (Southeastern Regional Planning & Economic Development District), the document has the full support of the Planning Board.

The final-draft version of the Master Plan can be viewed and downloaded from www.srpedd.org/marion-master-plan and from the Marion Town Website homepage http://www.srpedd.org/marion-master-plan. Printed copies are available at the Town Clerk's office, the Police Station, and Elizabeth Taber Library.

Please remember that the Master Plan is a vision, not a prescription, for Marion's future. Our next step as a town is to approve the plan and begin implementing the most crucial and feasible ideas with further community input, analysis, and creativity. Some progress is already underway through the newly formed Stewards of Community Open Space (SoCOS) committee and the Transportation and Circulation Task Force.

The Planning Board asks that you familiarize yourself with your new Master Plan before coming to Town Meeting on October 23rd. Town resources and much hard work by a great number of your fellow citizens have gone into producing this important document. Our Master Plan is a key tool to guide Marion into the future; a future that affects and depends on us all.

Questions? Contact Marion's new Town Planner: Gil Hilario at ghilario@marionma.gov
Wendy Cullum, Marion



Marion Cultural Council

The Marion Cultural Council has set an October 16 deadline for organizations, schools, and individuals to apply for grants that support cultural activities and proposals for community-oriented arts, humanities, and science programs in the community.

According to Council spokesperson Kristen Saint Don-Campbell, these grants can support a variety of artistic projects and activities in Marion – including exhibits, festivals, field trips, short-term artist residencies, or performances in schools, workshops, and lectures.

The Marion Cultural Council is part of a network of 329 Local Cultural Councils serving all 351 cities and towns in the Commonwealth. The LCC Program is the largest grassroots cultural funding network in the nation, supporting thousands of community-based projects in the arts, sciences and humanities every year. The state legislature provides an annual appropriation to the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency, which then allocates funds to each community.

For local guidelines and complete information on the Marion Cultural Council, contact Kristen Saint Don-Campbell at 508-254-3605 or ksaintdon@gmail.com. Application forms and more information about the Local Cultural Council Program are available online at www.mass-culture.org.

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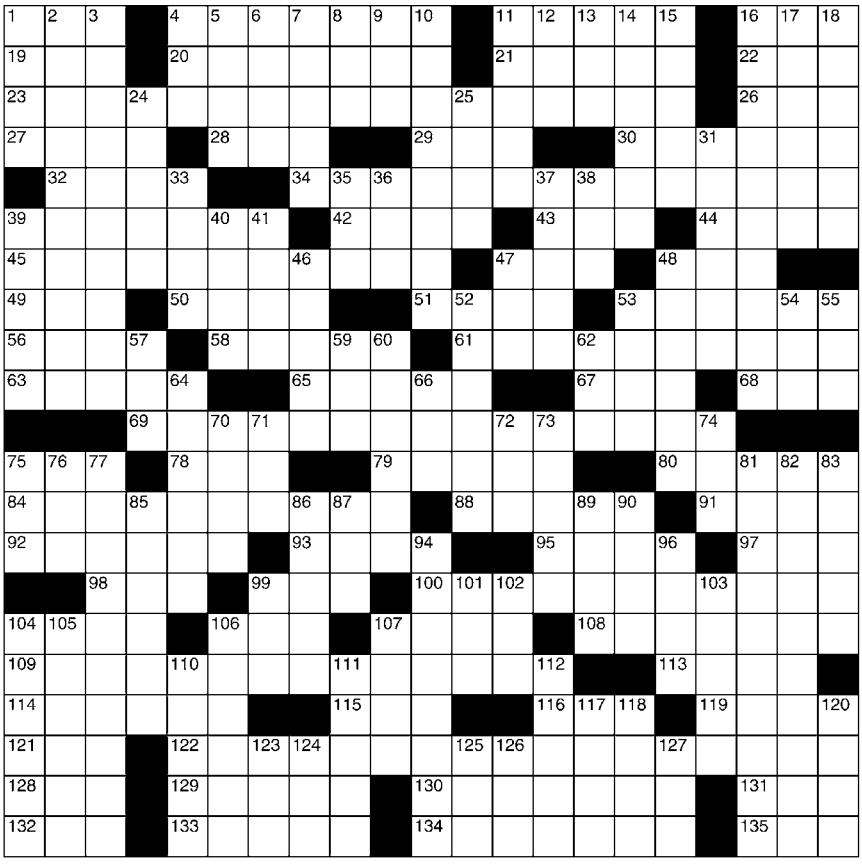
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129 Grub, e.g.
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124 Idiot boxes
125 Certain NCO
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127 Dollar divs.



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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You might not like the sudden setback in your plans. But keep that headstrong Arian temperament in check and wait for explanations. Things will begin to clear up by week's end.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Enjoy the respite from your recent hectic schedule, but be ready to plunge into a new round of social activities. A new contact holds much potential for the future.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A trusted colleague has news that could change your perception of a current workplace situation. What had seemed unfair might prove to be highly favorable after all.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You still need to watch what you say and how you say it. What you assert as honesty, others might perceive as Crabbiness. Be patient. This difficult period clears up by the weekend.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Your Royalness needs time away from the limelight to catch up on things, from tidying your desk to making those calls you've put off. You're back in the center of things by the weekend.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Honesty is the best policy, of course. But you'll do better at achieving your goals if you can be less aggressive and more circumspect in how you phrase your comments.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your ability to maintain your balance in confusing situations continues to work for you. Stay on the steady course, one step at a time. The weekend shows improvement.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your indecisiveness could simply be your keen Scorpian sense warning you to be wary of making a commitment. Take this time to do a more thorough investigation.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Good news: New information comes your way to help you make a more informed decision on how to deal with the opportunity that has opened up for you.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) This is a good time to reinforce your self-confidence by acknowledging your good qualities to yourself. A lull in your social life ends by the weekend. Have fun.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) It's a good time to let those recently pent-up emotions flow more freely. Why not start by letting the people you care for know how you really feel about them?

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Resist offers, no matter how well-intentioned, to help with a personal decision. Only you know what must be done, and you have the emotional strength to follow through.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a talent for getting things done. You also have a gift for bringing people together in both personal and professional relationships.

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Mattapoisett Woman's Club

The Mattapoisett Woman's Club is meeting on Thursday, **September 21**, at noon in Reynard Hall of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. After an August hiatus, we are having a potluck luncheon with members bringing a favorite dish to share. We have many programs and speakers lined up for the months ahead. Mark your calendar and join us for a yummy lunch and good conversation; learn about our past activities and what will be going on in the future. If you are interested, please talk with a member whom you may know or give me a call - Karen Gardner at 774-377-5810.

Thoughts on …
ORR "Grand Gathering" Reunion

By Dick Morgado (Class of 1964)

There were more hearing aids than at a Miracle Ear store. Artificial knees and hips came in a close second, but the young at heart were in full attendance at the "Grand Gathering" reunion of the four original Old Rochester High School classes of 1962 through 1965 recently held in Marion.

Nearly 90 alumni and their guests reacquainted themselves with old friends, many not seen in over a half century. They told "war" stories, exaggerated their academic achievements and athletic prowess, blushed at the mention of an old flame, exchanged photos of grandchildren and generally partied the evening away like it was 1962.

The first graduates of ORR gathered together as one under a giant tent on a sunny Saturday proving that you can go home again, although one alumnus heroically subscribed to the old maxim "the show must go on" as she bore the strain of not knowing if she had a home to return to as Hurricane Irma bore down on her Florida residence. Other alumni from as far away as Indiana, Ohio and Louisiana secretly glanced at name tags trying to recognize faces from their youth. Recognition brought hugs and kisses, and the years melted away.

But in the fall of 1961 they were all strangers entering a brand new high school. Some came from Wareham High, others from Fairhaven High and the remainder from the Tri-Town primary schools. The students were not the only ones new to the building. Alumni formed a long line to greet faculty favorite Norman Fuller who was one of the school's first teachers who began his career at ORR in 1961 and stayed for 30 years.

The original ORR cheerleaders gathered in a line to practice their high kicks, although suggestions they do cartwheels were summarily rejected. No doubt they remembered how they cheered the first football team and its captain Charles Jefferson, the original bulldog, who was in attendance. Charlie, whose coach heard someone in the crowd call him a bulldog for his fearless play, suggested the team adopt the nickname "Bulldogs" and so a nickname was born soon to be followed by a real live bulldog mascot name "Trouble."

Memories flowed while the rhythms of '60s tunes drew the adventurous, mostly female … just like in high school … to the dance floor, and the guys talked candy red cars and little deuce coupes. As the sun faded and cool temperatures settled in, a warming fire blazed in a giant fire pit. If the diehards who lingered listened carefully, you could almost hear the strains of the Beach Boys singing "Be True to Your School."



Thoreau Nature Walk

To celebrate the bicentennial year and legacy of Henry David Thoreau, please join us on Saturday, **September 16**, at 11:00 am for a Nature Walk at Washburn Park in Marion. On our walk, we will be reading Thoreau quotations on nature, simplicity, and solitude as well as excerpts from *Walking*.

To register, please call the Elizabeth Taber Library at 508-748-1252 or email Libby at eoneill@sailsinc.org.

Angelica Yacht Club Awards

Angelica Yacht Club, located on Point Connett, held its annual sailing awards on September 4. Commodore Todd Correia was master of ceremonies. The following awards were presented:

July 4th Series:

Beginners: 1st: Ellie Correia; 2nd: Zoe Plante; 3rd: Maya Warren



TOWN OF MARION
TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE
ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following bylaw changes which were accepted at the Marion Special Town Meeting which convened on May 8, 2017 have been approved by the Office of the Attorney General, and are published herewith in accordance with the current regulations. Claims of invalidity of any of the amendments to the bylaw by reason of any defect in the procedure of the adoption or replacement may only be made within ninety days of the second publication (September 21, 2017) or December 20, 2017.

Copies of the bylaws may be examined at the Town Clerk's Office, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts.

Article 35. Motion was made and seconded that the Town will vote to amend Section 5.3 of the Marion Zoning Bylaw as follows:

ADD NEW SUBSECTION 5.3.4 AS FOLLOWS:

"5.3.4 A special permit from the Planning Board, in compliance with the requirements of Section 7.2, shall be required for all residential developments greater than four (4) dwelling units."

ALSO, ADD NEW LINE WITHIN SECTION 4.2 (TABLE OF PRINCIPAL USE REGULATIONS) WITHIN SECTION A. "RESIDENTIAL USE" AS FOLLOWS:

"Multi-Family Residence (See Section 5.3)" and place the initials "PB" under the heading "RE", corresponding with the line "Multi-Family Residence (See Section 5.3)"

ALSO, ADD TO THE FIRST SENTENCE OF 9.1.2 AFTER THE WORD "SPACES" ON LINE FOUR (4) OF THE FOLLOWING:

Or result in residential development of more than four (4) dwelling units of Multi – Family Residence (see Section 5.3)

Article 37. Motion was made and seconded that the Town will vote to amend the General Bylaws of the Town of Marion by striking Article I, Section 5 in its entirety and inserting in place thereof the following:

"The tax collector or other municipal official responsible for the records of all municipal taxes, assessments, betterments and other municipal charges, hereinafter referred to as the tax collector, shall annually, and may periodically, furnish to each department, board, commission or division, hereinafter referred to as the licensing authority, that issues licenses or permits including renewals and transfers, a list of every person, corporation, or business enterprise, hereinafter referred to as the party, that has neglected or refused to pay any local taxes, fees, assessments, betterments or other municipal charges, and that such party has not filed in good faith a pending application for an abatement of such tax or a pending petition before the appellate tax board.

The licensing authority may deny, revoke or suspend any license or permit, including renewals and transfers of any party whose name appears on said list furnished to the licensing authority from the tax collector or with respect to any activity, event or other matter which is the subject of such license or permit and which activity, event or matter is carried out or exercised or is to be carried out or exercised on or about real estate owned by any party whose name appears on said list furnished to the licensing authority from the tax collector; provided, however, that written notice is given to the party and the tax collector, as required by applicable provisions of law, and the party is given a hearing to be held not earlier than fourteen days after said notice. Said list shall be prima facie evidence for a denial, revocation or suspension of said license or permit to any party. The tax collector shall have the right to intervene in any hearing conducted with respect to such license denial, revocation or suspension. Any license or permit denied, suspended or revoked under this section shall not be reissued or renewed until the licensing authority receives a certificate issued by the tax collector that the party is in good standing with respect to any and all local taxes, fees, assessments, betterments or other municipal charges, payable to the municipality as of the date of issuance of said certificate.

Any party shall be given an opportunity to enter into a payment agreement, thereby allowing the licensing authority to issue a certificate indicating said limitations to the license or permit and the validity of said license shall be conditioned upon the satisfactory compliance with said agreement. Failure to comply with said agreement shall be grounds for the suspension or revocation of said license or permit, provided, however, that the holder be given notice and a hearing as required by applicable provisions of law.

The Board of Selectmen may waive such denial, suspension or revocation if it finds that there is no direct or indirect business interest by the property owner, its officers or stockholders, if any, or members of his immediate family, as defined in section one of chapter two hundred and sixty-eight A in the business or activity conducted in or on said property.

This section shall not apply to the following licenses and permits: open burning: section thirteen of chapter forty-eight; bicycle permits: section eleven A of chapter eighty-five; sales of articles for charitable purposes, section thirty-three of chapter one hundred and one; children work permits, section sixty-nine of chapter one hundred and forty-nine; clubs, associations dispensing food or beverage licenses, section twenty-one E of chapter one hundred and forty; dog licenses, section one hundred and thirty-seven of chapter one hundred and forty; fishing, hunting, trapping license. Section twelve of chapter one hundred and thirty-one; marriage licenses, section twenty-eight of chapter two hundred and seven and theatrical events, public exhibition permits, section one hundred and eighty-one of chapter one hundred and forty."

Article 41. Motion was made and seconded that the Town will vote to renumber and recaption the General Bylaws of the Town as follows: to assign a new number to each chapter of the General Bylaws; to renumber each section accordingly; to insert chapter and section titles; to update internal references to reflect the new numbering system; to reorganize defined terms to be indented and capitalized in the definitions sections of various chapters; and to enact certain global changes to the text of the General Bylaws of the Town as follows:

1. To cite statutory references to the Massachusetts General Laws in a consistent manner, to read in the following form: MGL c.__, §__.

2. To impose a standard system of capitalization and citation of numbers throughout the General Bylaws.

all as incorporated in the document entitled "Town of Marion Final Draft," dated March 1, 2017, and on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

Article 42. Motion was made and seconded that the Town will vote to enact certain changes to the text of the General Bylaws of the Town, as noted by strikethroughs (indicating deletion) and underlines (indicating additions), all as set forth in the document entitled "Town of Marion Final Draft (Red Line)," dated March 1, 2017, on file in the office of the Town Clerk with the exception of the following:

1. In Section 7-14 (Page 6 of the document), make no changes to Section A.

Article 43. Motion was made and seconded that the Town will vote to number and caption the Zoning Bylaw of the Town as Chapter 230, Zoning, of the "Code of the Town of Marion," as set forth in the document entitled "Town of Marion Final Draft," dated March 1, 2017, on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

Article 44. Motion was made and seconded that the Town will vote to enact certain changes to the text of the Zoning Bylaw of the Town, as noted by strikethroughs (indicating deletion) and underlines (indicating additions), all as set forth in the document entitled "Town of Marion Final Draft (Red Line)," dated March 1, 2017, on file in the office of the Town Clerk with the exception of the following:

1. In the Table of Principal Use Regulations (Page 66 of the document), under Section A. (Principal Uses), make no changes to the 3rd line leaving the text to read "Dwelling in same building as principal non-residential use" and no changes to the corresponding symbols in the various Districts;

2. In Section 230-5.2 (Page 73 of the document), make no changes to the last paragraph of sub-section C (3) and thereby leave that paragraph to read "Said residential districts as shown on the Zoning Map of the Town of Marion, Massachusetts, February 1974, final revision July, 1999."

3. In Section 230-6.1 (Pages 78 and 79 of the document), at the end of the last sentence of Section E (1), do not add the word "current" and do not strike the words "February, 1984, final revision date July, 1999"

Articles 41, 42, 43, and 44 – Taken together, Articles, 41, 42, 43, and 44 recodify the Town's general and zoning bylaws as reflected in a document entitled, "Town of Marion Final Draft" dated March 1, 2017, and as on file with the Town Clerk. Specifically: (1) Article 41 renumbers, recaptions, and reorganizes the Town's general by-laws, including certain global changes throughout the general by-Laws: (2) Article 42 amends the Town's general by-laws by making specific highlighted changes as indicated in the document submitted to this Office; (3) Article 43 renumbers and recaptions the Town's zoning by-law; and (4) Article 44 amends the Town's zoning by-laws by making specific highlighted changes as indicated in the documents submitted to this Office. Our approval of the recodified general and zoning by-laws as adopted under Articles 41, 42, 43, and 44 are limited solely to those changes that were identified in the documents submitted to this Office and does not include any other changes.

Note: Pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 32, neither general nor zoning by-laws take effect unless the town has first satisfied the posting/publishing requirements of that statute. Once this statutory duty is fulfilled, (1) general by-laws and amendments take effect on the date that these posting and publishing requirements are satisfied unless a later effective date is prescribed in the by-law, and (2) zoning by-laws and amendments are deemed to have taken effect from the date they were voted by Town Meeting, unless a later effective date is prescribed in the by-law.

Maura Healy
Attorney General
Kelli E. Gunagan
Assistant Attorney General 9/14, 9/21

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on the

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Juniors: 1st: William Correia; 2nd: Gillian Reynolds; 3rd: Matthew Reynolds
Open: 1st: Craig Correia; 2nd: Nick Warren; 3rd: Dan Warren
August Series:
Beginners: 1st: Carly Mello; 2nd: Maya Warren; 3rd: Zoe Plante
Juniors: 1st: William Correia; 2nd: Matt Fleming; 3rd: Gillian Fleming
Open: 1st: Nick Warren; 2nd: Craig Correia; 3rd: Dan Warren
Labor Day Series:
Beginners: 1st: Maya Warren; 2nd: Ellie Correia; 3rd: Carly Mello
Open: 1st: Craig Correia; 2nd: Nick Warren; 3rd: William Correia
Alcort Junior Award*: William Correia
Alcort Open Award*: Nick Warren
* The Alcort Award is for the highest winning percentage for the year.

Mattapoisett Recreation Pickleball

Mattapoisett Recreation will continue Adult Drop-in Pickleball on Thursday evenings. The new time is 5:00 - 6:30 pm. Saturday Drop-in is from 10:00 - 11:30 am. Racquets and balls are available at the courts. If you have any questions, please email MATTREC at mattrec@mattapoisett.net.

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following applications and petition:

Application of MICHAEL SUDOFSKY, 163 Front Street, Marion, MA 02738, RE: 33 & 35 County Road. The applicant is seeking a Commercial Special Permit under Sections 3.1.2.2 and 3.1.2.3, as provided by Section 7.2.2 of the Zoning Bylaws to modify existing building to conform with the lot line. The property is further described as Plot 16, Lots 114 & 116 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held at the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 21, 2017 at 6:00 pm. Case #1392

Application of WILLIAM CANTOR, 4 Prospect Road, Mattapoisett MA 02739 RE: 33 Main Street. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under Sections 3.2.2, as provided by Section 7.2.2 of the Zoning Bylaws to construct a portable fabric tensioned structure for use as a garage or boat storage. The property is further described as Plot 10, Lot 43 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held at the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 21, 2017 at 6:15 pm. Case #1393

Application and petition of COVES END LLC, Apt. G, 94 Marion Road, Mattapoisett MA 02739 RE: 94 Marion Road. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit and Variance under 5.7 of Section 7.2.3, and Section 6.3.4 under Section 7.2.2 of the Zoning Bylaws to construct a 60 X 20 Self Storage Building. The property is further described as Plot 5, Lot 144 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held at the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 21, 2017 at 6:30 pm. Case #1394

Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.
Susan Akin, Chairperson
Mary Anne Brogan, Paul E. Milott Jr, Norman Lyonnais, Kenneth Pacheco 9/7, 9/14

TOWN OF MARION
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
LEGAL NOTICE CASE #740

The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 pm on Thursday, September 28, 2017, in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of ANDREW SIDFORD ARCHITECTS for a variance from Section 6.1.5 of the zoning bylaw to allow renovations to an existing structure with an increase in building height more than the allowable 10%.

The property, located at 13 West Avenue, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 3 as Lot 39.
Marc Leblanc, Chairman 9/7, 9/14

TOWN OF MARION
BOARD OF HEALTH
LEGAL NOTICE

The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, September 26, 2017 at 4:45 pm in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance requests submitted by FORESIGHT ENGINEERING, INC. pertaining to the property located at 619 Front Street, further identified as Map 22A, Lot 1.

The following variances are requested to Title 5 of the State Environmental Code:

310 CMR 15.405 (1) (h): To allow a reduction in the separation of proposed leach field from 4' to 3' to the groundwater table.

310 CMR 15.405 (1) (k): To allow one deep hole observation hole due to site limitations and recent soils on abutting lot.
John B. Howard, MD, Chairman 9/7, 9/14

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 25, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall on the Request for A Determination of Applicability submitted by MATT HOTTE, 6 Brookside Drive Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed project is to square off 2nd floor to allow for laundry area so units are not in the basement that is not accessible from living space. The project is located at 10 Woodland Avenue, Mattapoisett, and is further identified as Lot 73 on Assessor Map 6. 9/14

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 25, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by the GOWING FAMILY TRUST.

The Applicant proposes to perform repairs on two stone jetties and to improve a portion of the surface of the existing driveway. The work will be performed within Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage and the 100 ft. Buffer Zone of various Coastal Wetland Resource Areas.

The project is located at 1 Avenue A and is further identified as Lot #142 on Mattapoisett Assessors Map #2A. 9/14

TOWN OF MARION
WATER DEPARTMENT
PUBLIC NOTICE

The Marion Water Division will be starting its Fall Hydrant Flushing Program on Monday, September 18, 2017. We will be flushing weekdays between the hours of 9:00 am and 3:00 pm and expect this program to take approximately 8 weeks to complete. The following is the anticipated schedule:
Perry Hill to Mattapoisett Road
Mattapoisett Road to Wolf Island Station
Mattapoisett Road to New Bedford Road
New Bedford Road to Route 105
Route 105 – Marion town line to Route 6 including all side streets
Front Street – Route 6 to Silvershell Beach – including all center areas
Mill Street – from Sippican Healthcare to Rocky Knook – including all side streets
Converse Road – from Route 6 to Olde Knoll Road
Indian Cove
Converse Road – from Olde Knoll Road to Moorings Road – including all side streets
County Road
Point Road – County Road to Route 6
River's Edge
River Road
Wareham Street – including all side streets
Point Road – from Route 6 to lower Delano Road
Delano Road – from Route 6 to lower Point Road – including all side streets
Point Road – from lower Delano Road to Kittansett
Point including Piney Point and Planting Island

Residents in the immediate flushing area may experience discolored water and a drop in water pressure. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Marion DPW Office at 508-748-3540. 9/14

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 25, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by LEIGH OLER, 25 Grandview Avenue, Mattapoisett, MA as shown on Assessor's Map 15B, Lot 77. The applicant proposes to construct a new well, tie into Town sewer and abandon the existing individual sewage disposal system (ISDS) to service the existing single family dwelling located within a mapped FEMA Flood Zone VE (El. 17). 9/14

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 25, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on an ANRAD submitted by GREGORY H. HUNTOON, 8 Selha Way, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed project is for approval of resource area delineation only. There is no work proposed at this time. The project is located at 0 Selha Way, and is further identified as Lot 105B on Assessor Map 23. 9/14

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 25, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by ROBERT & NANCY DAVIS, 7 Stoney Hill Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed project is to install a new Title 5 septic system for the existing single-family residence with a portion of the work within the buffer zone of bordering vegetated wetlands. The project is located at 7 Stoney Hill Road and is further identified as Lot 49 of Map 22. 9/14

TOWN OF MARION
PLANNING BOARD
PUBLIC HEARING

On October 2, 2017, the Marion Planning Board will hold a public hearing on proposed changes to the Zoning Bylaw pursuant to the requirements of MGL c.40A, s.5.

At the Spring Town Meeting, the Town approved approximately 200 bylaw changes based on comments that were provided by General Code as a result of their codification review of the Marion Bylaws. At that time, we stated that there would be additional bylaw changes based on review and analysis of some of the more difficult General Code comments. The changes proposed for this Town Meeting are the result of adjudicating an additional 50 General Code comments.

The 50 comment resolutions can be characterized as follows:

• 8 items required no change.

• 31 changes provided clarification that did not change the intent of the existing wording by adding new wording, deleting existing wording, changing references, providing new definition, rearranging existing wording.

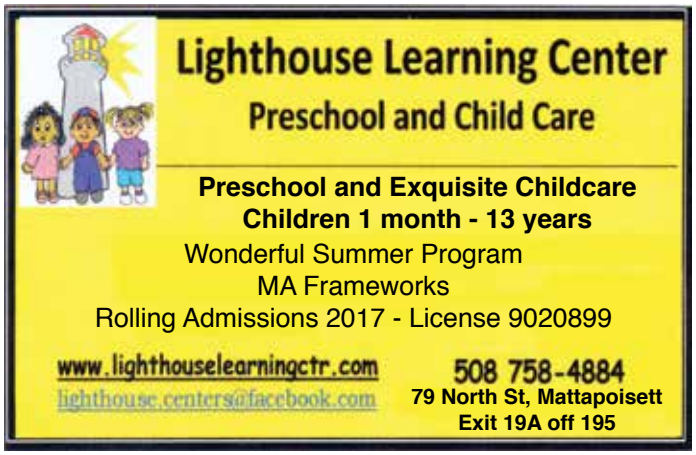
• 5 items changed wording to reflect updated Massachusetts General Laws:

- 230-4.2 (Table of Principal Uses) updated two entries in section B of the Table of Principal Use Regulations dealing with (1) use of land for agriculture and (2) facilities for sale of produce to reference MGL c.40A, s.3

- 230-6.1 (Nonconforming Uses and Structures) added new paragraph A.2 allowing structures in existence more than 10 years with no action against the violation to be legally nonconforming

- 230-8.5 (Surface Water District) paragraph D(1)c specified Marina as water-dependent use as in MGL c.91, s.1

- 300-2.6 (Plan Believed Not to Require Approval) paragraph C replaced with wording giving



Catherine L. Heuberger Recognized By Peers

Catherine L. Heuberger, Town Clerk of Mattapoisett, recently qualified for the Massachusetts Town Clerks' Association's (MTCA) prestigious CMMC (Certified Massachusetts Municipal Clerk) designation and will receive her commemorative pin and plaque at the MTCA Fall Conference in Springfield, MA on September 21, 2017. Currently, only 112 of the Commonwealth's 301 town clerks hold this designation.

The CMMC designation is achieved by attending MTCA-sponsored educational courses and passing a 250-question aptitude test measuring the municipal clerk's knowledge of Massachusetts General Laws in categories such as elections and election procedures, vital records, campaign and political finance, town meetings, Chapter 40A (planning), Chapter 41 (zoning), ethics and public records.

Catherine has been Mattapoisett's elected Town Clerk for three years. Prior to being elected as Town Clerk, she served as Principal Clerk in the Mattapoisett Treasurer/Collector's Office for 8½ years.

She is a graduate of Old Rochester Regional High School and Bristol Community College.



She is a member of the MTCA, the New England Association of City and Town Clerks, the Tri-County Clerks Association, and the International Institute of Municipal Clerks.

In addition, she continues her professional development through courses sponsored by the MTCA and the Secretary of the Commonwealth's Elections Division.

LEGAL NOTICES

the Board 21 days to make a decision.

• 6 items provided extensive rewording or changed requirements:

- 230-5.1 (Lot, Yard, and Height requirements) one item re-titled note 9 table columns to clarify requirement
- 230-6.4 (Home Occupations) three items resulted in extensive rewrite to clarify home occupation requirements
- 230-4.2 (Table of Principal Uses) one item replaced "Rooming House" with B&B Table 4.2; 230-6.5 (Off-street Parking and Loading) removed reference to "Rooming House"; 230-7.4 (Uses Authorized by Special Permit) paragraph A(2)(c) (Bed and Breakfast Establishments) changed from three to four guest rooms
- 230-3.2 (Zoning Map) paragraph B (Flood Hazard District); 230-8.1 (Flood Hazard District); 300-5.4 (Floodplain Protection) one item combined these three sections into one requirements section, a reworded 230-8.1.

The public hearing will be held at the Town House Main Conference Room, 2 Spring Street. Marion, Massachusetts 02738 at 7:10 pm. The public is invited to attend and be heard on this proposal and may inspect the full text of this proposal during normal business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk or Planning Board.
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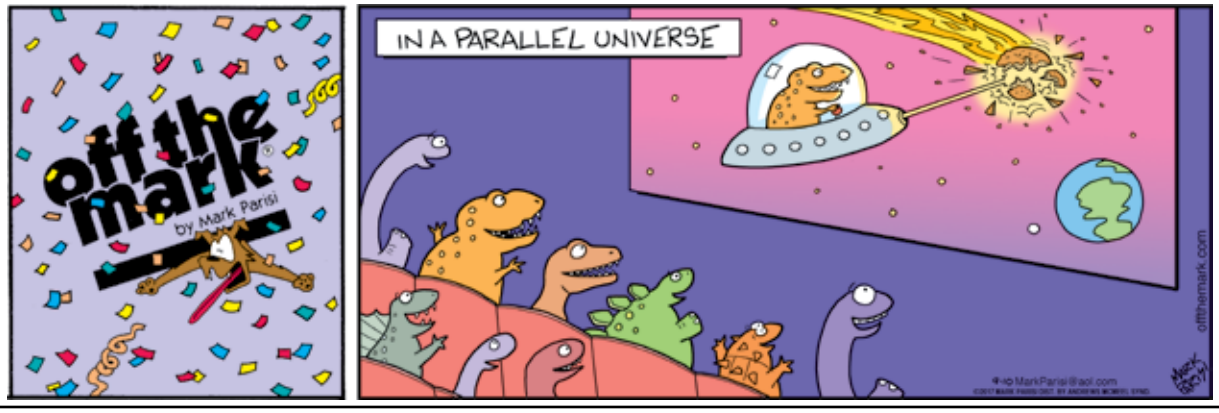
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MCC Christian Education's inter-generational ministry offers a variety of opportunities for church and community members of all ages to participate in activities that explore, develop, nurture, and sustain faith. Starting this fall, Journeying Together: "Beatitudes for All Ages," will be held on three Sundays: September 24, October 15, and November 12 from 9:00 - 9:45 am to explore the blessings bestowed by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount through scripture, song, discussions and activities. Sunday School, Grades PreK-6, will have additional time to explore the Beatitudes with interactive discoveries, storytelling, music, food, prayer and more. Morning meetings, movie nights, and service projects are planned for Older Youth in Grades 7-12. Sunday School and Older Youth activities begin Sunday, September 17.

Contact the church office at 508-758-2671 or mattcongchurch@gmail.com with any questions. Additional information is posted on mattapoisettcongregationalchurch.org and Church Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/





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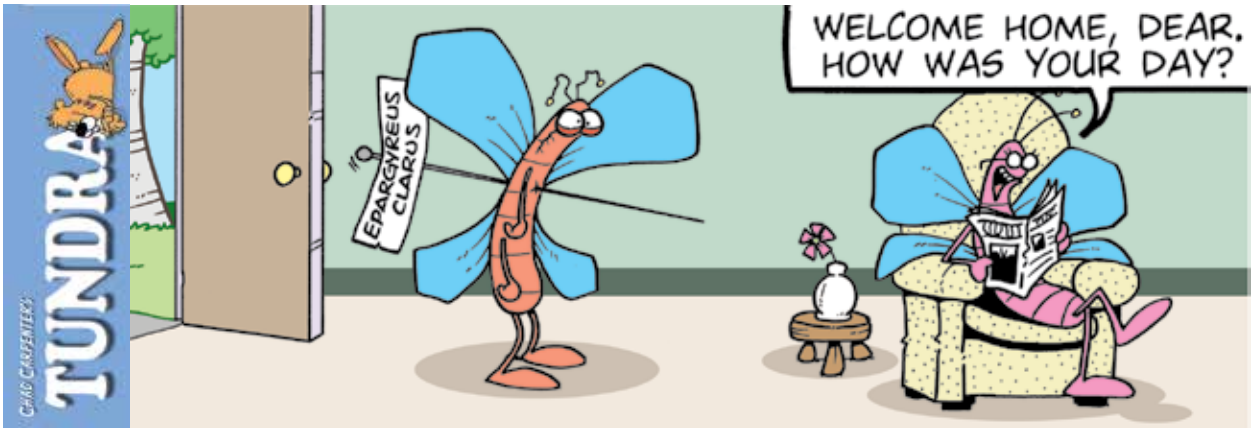
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Mattapoisett Cultural Council

Mattapoisett Cultural Council seeks grant proposals for community-oriented arts, humanities, and science programs until **October 16**. These grants are available to support a variety of cultural projects and activities in and around Mattapoisett – including exhibits, festivals, field trips, short-term artist residencies or performances in schools, workshops, and lectures.

This year, Mattapoisett Cultural Council will distribute about $4,000 in grants. Previously funded projects include: theatrical and science programs for children and adults at Mattapoisett Free Public Library, concerts by SouthCoast Children's Chorus and Seaglass Theatre Company, youth concerts and music education by New Bedford Symphony Orchestra, programs and exhibits at Mattapoisett Historical Society and in-school arts and science programs sponsored by the Mattapoisett PTA and Friends of ORR Drama, among others.

Mattapoisett Cultural Council is now accepting online applications at www.mass-culture.org/. Paper applications will not be accepted. Applicants are encouraged to review local funding priorities at http://www.mass-culture.org/Mattapoisett#. Questions may be addressed to MattapoisettLCC@gmail.com.

Mattapoisett Cultural Council is part of a network of 329 Local Cultural Councils serving all 351 cities and towns in the Commonwealth. The LCC Program is the largest grassroots cultural funding network in the nation, supporting thousands of community-based projects in the arts, sciences and humanities every year, awarding more than $3 million in grants to more than 6,000 cultural programs statewide. The program promotes the availability of rich cultural experiences for all Massachusetts residents.

Rochester Council on Aging

On Thursday, **September 28** at 2:30 pm at a forum at the Rochester Senior Center, the Rochester Council on Aging will launch its year-long initiative to seek national senior center accreditation from the National Council on Aging. We are encouraging anyone who wants to learn more about the process, or who may be interested in volunteering to take part in the process, to attend that day. Anyone of any age who participates in the senior center is welcome to participate. The more the merrier. It's not difficult. You can do it! Don't worry! We will guide you through it! We want and need your input!!! We need your help to do this!!!

The self-assessment phase of the process, which is approximately a nine-month commitment, consists of organizing nine (9) committees of volunteers to review the senior center operation over the past five (5) years, using nine (9) basic standards: Purpose & Planning, Governance, Administration & Human

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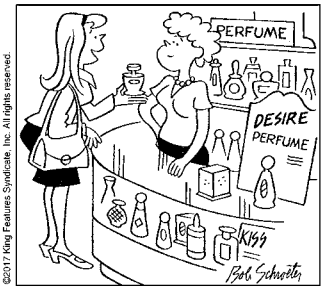
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Following the self-assessment process, a five-year strategic plan is developed, which incorporates and is based on the results coming from those nine (9) committees. Additionally, a portfolio notebook containing required documents and reports, including the strategic plan mentioned, is assembled and submitted to the National Council on Aging for review.

Lastly, an on-site Peer Reviewer (a current or former Senior Center Director from an accredited senior center) will visit our senior center for a day, after reviewing our portfolio notebook, and will speak to those volunteers and staff members who assisted in the self-assessment process.

The Peer Reviewer consults with an off-site Peer Reviewer and together they compile a lengthy report, which is submitted to the National Council on Aging, with their recommendation for full Accreditation. Shortly thereafter, we will be notified as to whether or not we achieved full accreditation status.

Join us on **September 28** at 2:30 pm and find out what it's all about. Refreshments will be served.

Marion & Rochester Flu Clinics

The Marion & Rochester Boards of Health will sponsor 2017 seasonal flu clinics for all residents. The flu vaccine will be available in the injectable form for ages 3 years old and over and the high dose vaccine for ages 65 years and over.

Those attending the flu clinics are reminded to wear a short sleeve shirt and to bring all insurance and Medicare cards. Vaccinations will be given to all regardless of insurance status or ability to pay.

Clinics are scheduled for the following dates:
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Monday, October 16, 1:00 - 3:00 pm at the Marion Town House
Tuesday, October 17, 4:00 - 7:00 pm at the Rochester Council on Aging
Monday, October 23, 1:00 - 3:00 pm at the Marion Town House
Thursday, October 26, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm at the Marion Town House
Monday, October 30, 1:00 - 3:00 pm at the Marion Town House
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For more information, call the Marion Board of Health at 508-748-3530 or the Rochester Board of Health at 508-763-5421.

Marion Bylaw Codification Changes Phase 2

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Classified Deadline: Tuesday at 10:00 am for Thursday's paper.

Classified Rates:
Classified Advertisements are $5.00 for 3 lines or less per week. Each additional line is $1.00 per week. There are an average of six words per line.

Classified Guidelines:
*As a general rule, there are approximately six words per line in a standard Classified Ad.
*Blank lines cannot be used in Classified Advertisements.
*There is only upper case and lower case lettering.
*No graphics may be used in Classified Advertisements.
*Classified Ads cannot be placed on hold.
*Classified Ads cannot be taken over the phone.

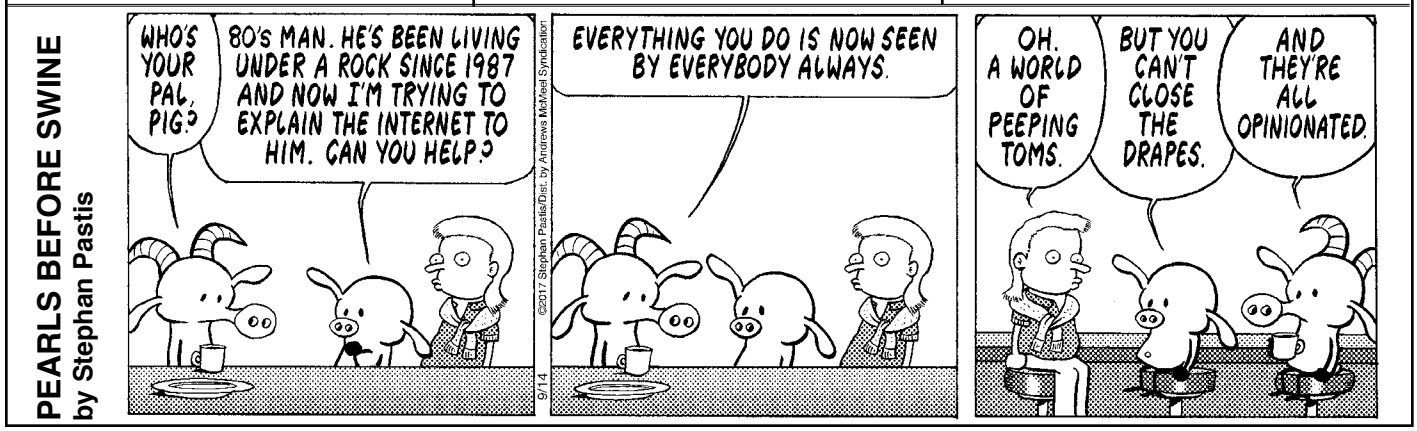
Mailing Classified Ads: Ads can be mailed with payment to P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Placing Classified Ads On-line: Ads can be placed on line at: www.wanderer.com

Dropping Off Classified Advertisements: Ads can be dropped by our office at 55 County Road in Mattapoisett, Monday, Thurs, Fri -9am to 3pm; Tuesday 9am to noon

Payment Policy: All sales final, we do not offer credits or refunds.

Legal Advertisements:
* Legal Ads are $1.00 per line, at a minimum of $20. per ad.



contained approximately 280 comments, questions and suggestions. The Planning Board appointed a Bylaw Subcommittee as part of the Master Plan effort. This Subcommittee along with the Town Administrator reviewed the report and proposed resolutions to 200 of the comments, questions, or suggestions. The Planning Board agreed with the proposed changes and, at the Spring Town Meeting, the Town approved the proposed bylaw changes. Subsequently, the Attorney General has reviewed the approved changes and concurs with them.

At that time, the Bylaw Subcommittee stated that they would continue to resolve more of the remaining General Code comments, questions and suggestions with the goal of presenting them at the Special Town Meeting in October. The Subcommittee has proposed resolutions to an additional 50 of the General Code comments, questions, and suggestions. The Planning Board has reviewed and concurred with the proposed changes and has scheduled a Public Hearing on October 2, 2017. In addition to the Public Hearing, an informational meeting will be held on Saturday, October 14 at 9:00 am in the Sippican School multi-purpose room. All interested residents are encouraged to attend with questions.

Copies of the Bylaws showing the proposed changes are available at the Planning Board Office, the Town Clerk, Elizabeth Taber Library, and the Police Station.

Sippican School Car Wash

The 6th grade class at Sippican School is excited to start the year with the Annual Car Wash and Bake Sale to raise funds for their mountain classroom trip to New Hampshire, which takes place next May. The car wash/bake sale is Saturday, **September 16** from 9:00 am to noon in the school bus loop. Price is $5 per car. Rain date is Sunday, September 17.

Bristol Aggie Hurricane Relief Effort

Bristol County Agricultural High School has always stepped up and helped local community members who are in need. In the wake of Hurricane Harvey and Hurricane Irma, Bristol Aggie would now like to make a difference on a national level.

The Animal Science Department at Bristol Aggie is teaming up with Operation Bullpen (with Curt Schilling) to help people in need by establishing a donation center where they will collect donations of animal feed and supplies that will be delivered to Texas, Florida, or any other areas that have animals in need from these devastating hurricanes. Needed supplies include: food, toys, treats, collars and leashes for cats and dogs; livestock feed, hay, halters, crates and blankets; water, feed bowls and pans, and animal beds; medical and unopened cleaning supplies; and work gloves, shovels, brooms, wheelbarrows and ropes. Although their first priority will be to collect animal supplies, they will also take supplies for people as well. A complete list of requested animal and human supplies can be found on the Bristol Aggie Animal Science Facebook Post at https://www.facebook.com/Bristol-Aggie-Animal-Science-Department-806666166071187/.

Bristol Aggie's goal is to fill an 18-wheeler truck full of supplies to help the animals and people in need. These supplies will be driven down to hurricane devastated areas and put directly in the hands of people and shelters that need them. The first truck will leave the school campus on Monday, **September 18**. With access to as many trucks as can be filled, Bristol Aggie hopes to fill more than one.

Bristol Aggie is hoping to make this a large-

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Animal Advice
Jay Gould, DVM

My parrot only likes the sunflower seeds in her seed mix. How can I get her to eat the other seeds?

I equate an all seed diet to an all-white bread diet. Ok, in the short run, but severely deficient over time. Seeds lack vitamin A and a number of essential oils.

What should I feed my parrot?

Feed pelleted bird food. It looks like dry dog or cat food but much smaller, and its formulated for birds. To this add fresh fruits and vegetables. Offer the seeds for 10 minutes in the morning and 10 minutes in the evening and leave the pellets, fruits and veggies available for the rest of the day.

You can contact Dr. Gould at 508-758-6400 or visit our website at MattapoisettAH.com

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2 Bedroom Apt. for rent
First floor in owner occupied home, located in residential neighborhood within walking distance to historic downtown New Bedford. Hardwood floors, fridge, stove, washer and dryer on premises. All utilities included, heat, electric and gas. First, last and security deposit required. Rent is $975.00 per month. Total move in is $2450.00. Available now. References required. Call Deb at 508-984-1504 after 4:00 pm or leave message.

3 Bedroom Furnished Winter Rental
3 bedroom 1 bath. Fully Furnished. W/D, ocean view, big yard. Available 9/15/17-6/15/18 $1,150 No utilities. Email CarlyCurran88@gmail.com

950SF retail space available at the Ropewalk in Mattapoisett. Looking for boutique clothing but open to other businesses. 508-858-9014

A PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN
O Most Beautiful Flower of Mt. Carmel, Fruitful Vine, Splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my Mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand your power. O Mary conceived without sin pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times). O Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands (3 times). Amen. Say this prayer for three consecutive days and then you must publish; it will be granted to you. G.L.

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(508) 748-6500

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508-415-4107

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* Excavation
* Retaining walls/patios
* Septic
* Lawn maintenance
* Land clearing
* Always looking for new customers
508-209-4690

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For Mattapoisett
Volunteers Urgently Needed
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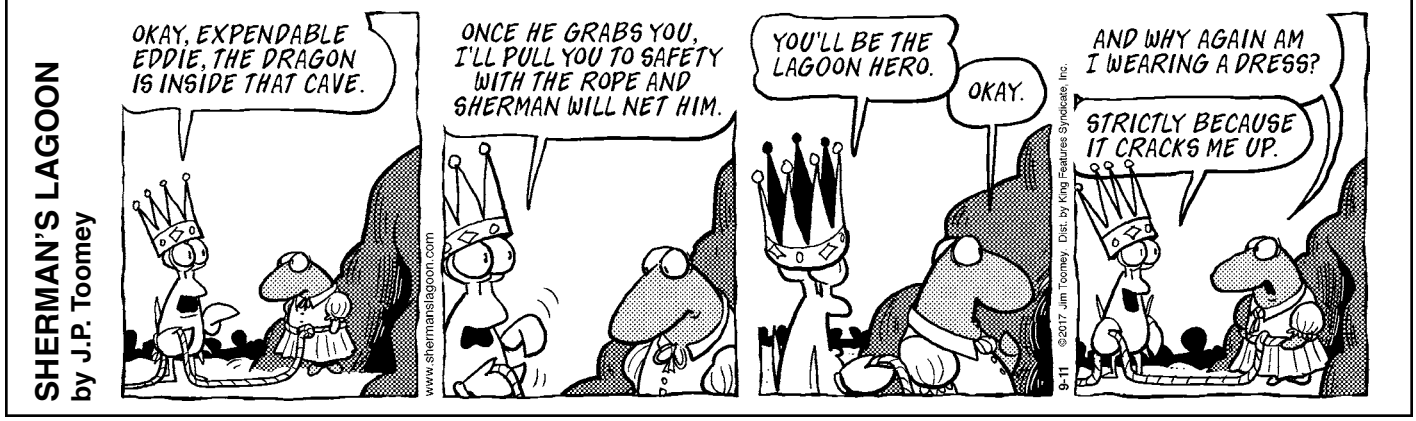
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Buyer(s)	Seller(s)	Address	City	Date	Price
Raposo, Jeffrey Moe-Raposo, Susan M	Paul, Emily M	16 Beach St	Marion	08/24/2017	600000
Annichiarico, David A Annichiarico, Carol A	Toboloski, Eric A	9 Cole Rd	Marion	08/25/2017	312500
Quinlan Brothers LLC	Marion Capital Ventures	13 Marconi Ln	Marion	08/22/2017	439900
Greenwood, Dane R	Jenney, Douglas J	146 Fairhaven Rd	Mattapoisett	08/21/2017	180000
Huynh, Bao Aoyama, Momoko	Grieci, John D Grieci, Lisa M	24 Fairhaven Rd	Mattapoisett	08/25/2017	550000
US Bank NA Tr	Costa, David B US Bank NA	107 Marion Rd	Mattapoisett	08/23/2017	347784
Talbot, Matthew J	Talbot, Michael L Talbot, Marie R	10 Oaklawn Ave	Mattapoisett	08/21/2017	250000
Piva, Nicholas J	Demello, Edward Demello, Rosary M	29 Water St	Mattapoisett	08/25/2017	599000
Rodriguez, Amanda L	Brioc, Thomas A	35 Walnut Plain Rd	Rochester	08/22/2017	350000

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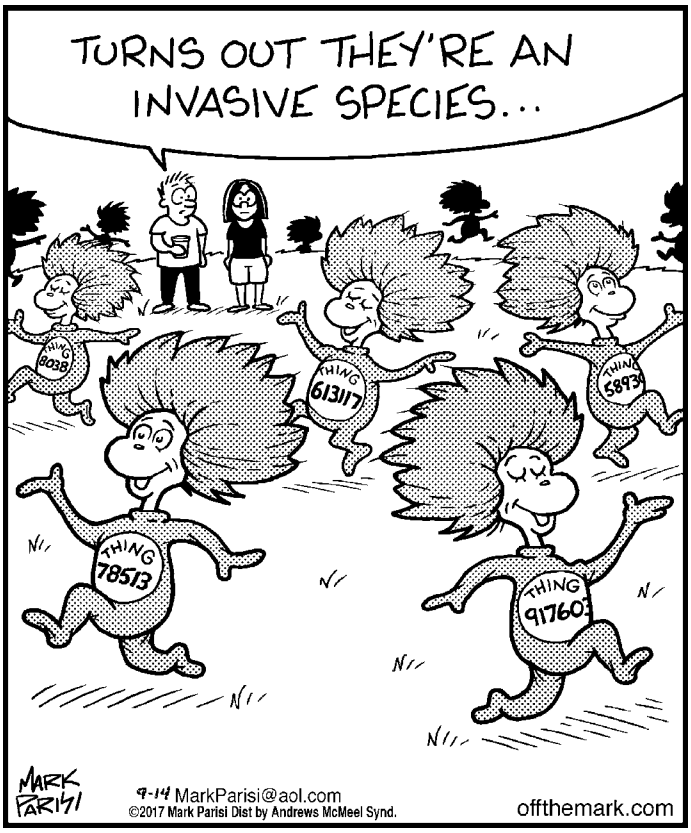
scale effort in a short amount of time. Donations can be dropped off at Bristol Aggie Animal Science Department, 135 Center Street, Dighton, MA 02715. If you prefer to schedule a local pick up/drop off or would like more information, please contact one of the following Tri-Town Bristol Aggie students:

- From Rochester: Hannah Smith (774-271-2793), Hannah Johnson (508-728-1251), or Melanie Beaulieu (774-281-8070)
- From Mattapoisett: Lauren Paine (860-782-1574)

The Bristol Aggie Animal Science Department can be reached at 508-669-6744 ext. 129.



off the mark by Mark Parisi



Local Tides

Day	Date	High a.m.	High p.m.	Low a.m.	Low p.m.
Thursday	September 14:	2:59	3:31	8:26	10:49
Friday	September 15:	4:04	4:39	9:52	11:44
Saturday	September 16:	5:10	5:44	11:09	. . .
Sunday	September 17:	6:11	6:41	12:30	12:07
Monday	September 18:	7:05	7:32	1:09	12:56
Tuesday	September 19:	7:55	8:19	1:43	1:42
Wednesday	September 20:	8:41	9:03	2:14	2:25
Thursday	September 21:	9:26	9:46	2:45	3:08
Friday	September 22:	10:09	10:29	3:18	3:48
Saturday	September 23:	10:52	11:12	3:52	4:27
Sunday	September 24:	11:36	11:57	4:28	5:06
Monday	September 25:	. . .	12:22	5:06	5:49
Tuesday	September 26:	12:43	1:08	5:48	6:39
Wednesday	September 27:	1:31	1:55	6:36	7:45
Thursday	September 28:	2:19	2:44	7:38	9:12
Friday	September 29:	3:09	3:36	8:53	10:21
Saturday	September 30:	4:05	4:33	10:08	. . .
Sunday	October 1:	5:02	5:28	1:06	11:07

Phases of the Moon		
	New Moon	September 20th
	First Quarter	September 27th
	Full Moon	October 5th
	Last Quarter	October 12th



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*

In the September 7, 2017 issue the Aardvark was on page 37!

PUZZLE ANSWERS

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

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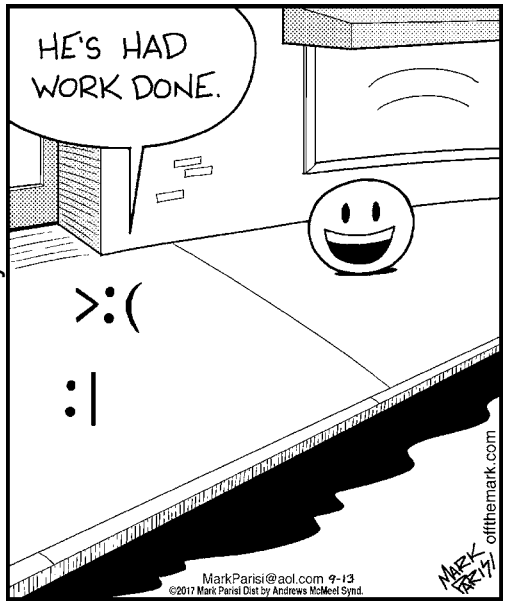
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3. Stilt; 4. Impair

Today's Word

DILUTE

Sudoku Answer

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1	4	9	5	2	7	3	8	6
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3	8	6	4	9	1	5	2	7
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5	3	2	6	7	4	8	1	9
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PLUMB CORNER MARKET

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Cheddar Cheese $6.99 lb.

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Boar's Head
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Grocery, Dairy, Frozen & Bakery

15 oz. Selected
Wish-Bone Dressing..... 2/$4



330 ml Cans, 6 Pack Selected
Sanpellegrino Sparkling Drinks $4.99 Plus Dep.



8.5-8.8 oz. Selected
Uncle Ben's Ready Rice 2/$4



Half Liter Bottles
6 Pack
Crystal Geyser Spring Water..... 99¢



11.2-12 oz. Original or Red Berries
Kellogg's Special K Cereal 2/$5



14.5 oz. Selected
Hunt's Canned Tomatoes..... 5/$5



Selected 21-25 ct. Power Paks or 43.75-50 oz. Liquid Laundry
Arm & Hammer Detergent $3.99



Keep out of reach of children

6.25-7.625 oz. Selected Baked
Sun Chips or Lay's Chips..... 2/$5



Fresh Store Baked 15 oz. 12 Pack Selected
Cookies..... $3.99



Fresh Store Baked 22 oz. 8 Inch
Raspberry Pie $4.99



Superior Quality Produce



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McIntosh Apples 99¢ lb.

Juicy
Minneolas $1.29 lb.

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Butternut Squash 69¢ lb.

5 lb. Bag New Crop, Eastern Shore
White Potatoes $2.49

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Green Cabbage..... 49¢ lb.

ORGANIC
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$6.99 lb.



Plumb Corner
Store Baked
Turkey Breast
$7.99 lb.



59 oz. Selected
Tropicana Juice
2/$6



48 oz. Selected
Breyers
$3.99



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Harpoon 12 Pack
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750 ml California Wines
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Louis Martini
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Great Price!

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$9.99
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Rex Goliath Great Price! **$8.99**

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McManis Great Price! **$9.99**

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$15.99

12 oz. Bottles
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12 Pack
$15.99

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